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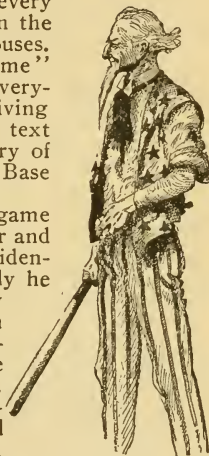
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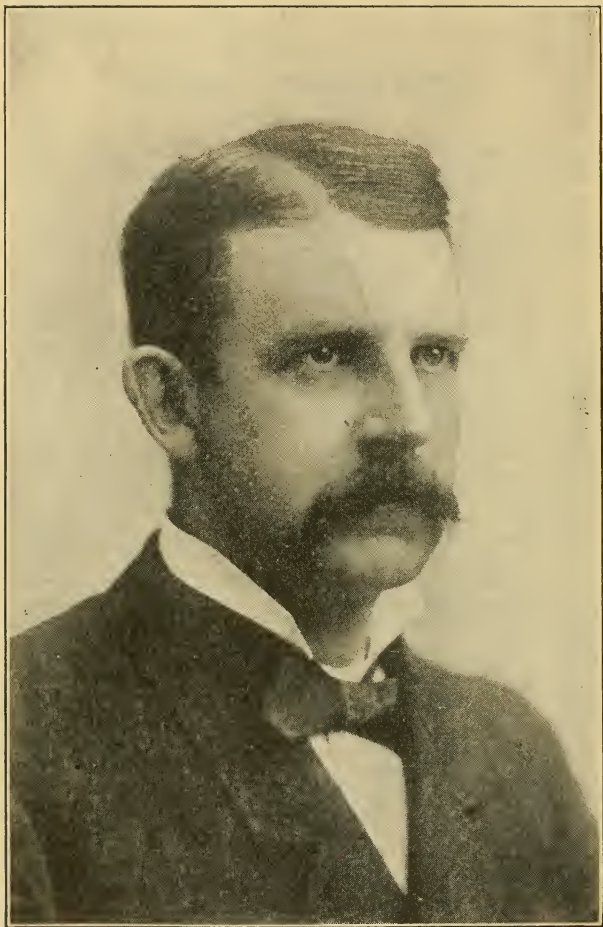
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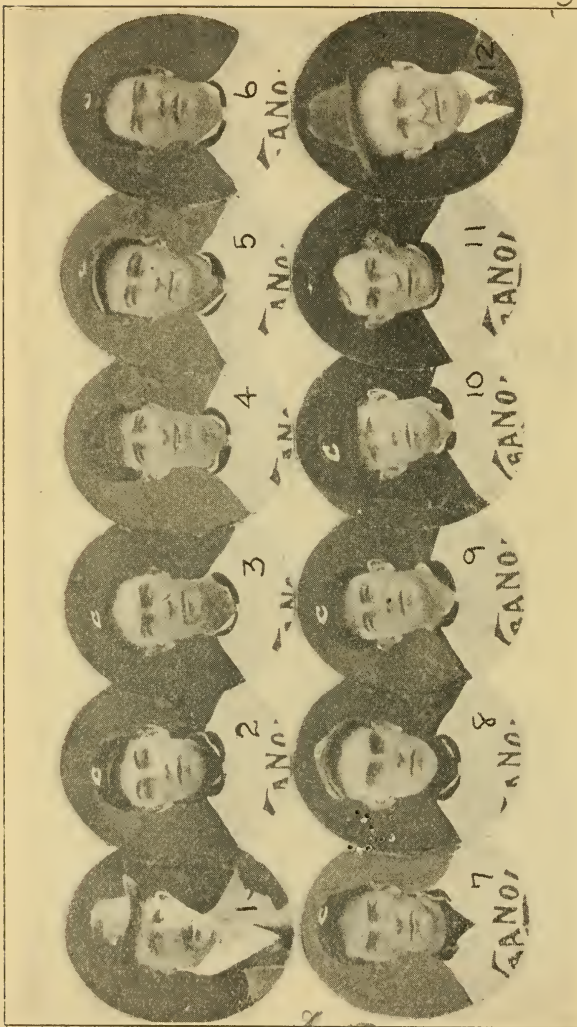
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## Remarkable Progress in Denver

BY PYKE JOHNSON,

Sporting Editor Rocky Mountain *News*.

While promoters in some branches of sport found 1913 truly a "hoodoo" year, the reverse was true to those who participated in the season as members of the Denver Base Ball Championship League. In the four prosperous years of its existence the league has gone forward steadily at all times, but 1913 reached a higher point than all of the others in number of teams, attendance, exciting battles and sportsmanship.

In past years officials of the league had considered it unwise to attempt anything more than elimination contests in each division.

Under the rules governing such series each team played until twice defeated when it dropped out. Given twelve teams to a division, the average number, and two months at the outside usually cared for the play.

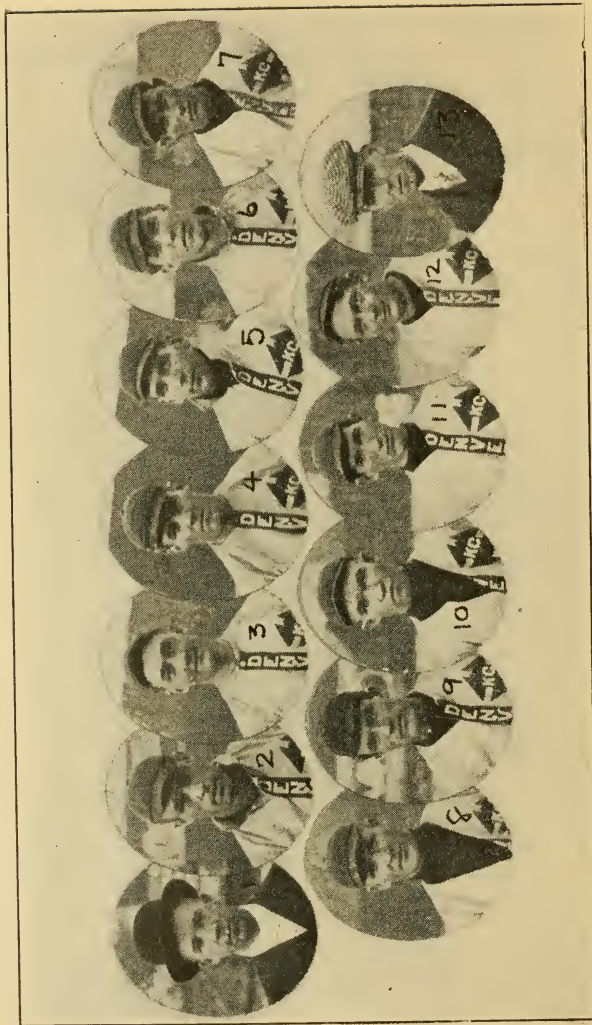
It was the league managers themselves who made the change. Interest had grown so that they felt justified in attempting a regular percentage schedule, such as those in force in major league base ball, and accordingly a resolution was passed and entered on the by-laws of each division save one, providing for a regular series of play which allowed each team to meet each other team twice at least and which guarded a superior nine against breaks of luck which would have put it out of the running in short order under the elimination plan.

To realize how important this change in rules was and what a step forward it marked in the history of this league, it is necessary to appreciate the difficulties which beset the path of the average manager of an amateur nine.

Where a team plays independent base ball it is absolutely necessary that there must be some strong force behind it if it is not to be disrupted long before the average playing season is over. For example, a nine loses a few games. The better players become dissatisfied and jump to another nine. In a short time the entire nine has disappeared.

To overcome this, the league made inroads upon the by-laws of the National Commission of organized base ball. It was ruled that players could not jump to other teams and other

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1, Davoren; 2, Miller; 3, Dunn; 4, Gartland; 5, Darley; 6, Nichols; 7, Murphy; 8, Reed; 9, Floyd; 10, Astler, Capt.;  
 11, J. Ryan; 12, Schwelgert; 13, T. Ryan.  
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teams could not accept them. Prizes were offered and the men were thus given genuine incentive to play.

Be it said to their credit that not in a single instance did a nine of the sixty or more engaged in play break from the ranks. Every division went through its entire playing schedule intact, and in so doing they gave the game a tremendous impetus in Denver.

The change in schedule was not the only feature of the 1913 season in Denver. Far from it. There were fewer squabbles, less wrangling and, with their absence, more genuine sporting spirit shown during the season than before.

This was partly due to the fact that the independent ball players of Denver have become educated to the power of their executive commission. They realize that they must have solid ground for any protest which they may make or they will be fined. They realize that careful watch is kept of all times of rowdiness and other unsportsmanlike tactics and that the slightest display of these will bring down on them punishment for their misdeeds.

On the other hand, they appreciate how much clean base ball means and how they are helping the whole league as well as themselves when they refrain from "the rough stuff."

Interest showed a marked increase and there was not a game, even those which were played in snow and rain, which was not attended by hundreds—sometimes thousands—of interested fans. Box scores were published regularly of all games and the standings were kept before the people constantly. The result was that the \*semi-pros and amateurs drew almost as much attention as the professionals, and in point of combined attendance far outdrew their big brothers.

The fight in every division was well worth watching. With no incentive other than victory and a trophy, the players were spurred to the limit of their ability by their intense desire to win, and many a grim fought battle took place on the various diamonds of the city. No team had a cinch on first place until the final game was played in each division.

Some idea of the place which the league now holds in Denver may be gathered from the fact that the city officials take care of the diamonds, and on request of the various managers of teams see that the grounds are leveled and kept in shape, whether on private or city property. In addition, the police force are always ready to grant the teams protection where they feel that it is necessary to handle the immense crowds, which not infrequently grow so dense as to impede the play of the nines if not held back.



1, Captain Astler, Knights of Columbus Team; 2 Floyd, Knights of Columbus Team; 3, C. Nicholls, Arvada Team; 4, "Chuck" Nichols, Knights of Columbus Team; 5, Ike Pavelka, Arvada Team.

The season of 1914 holds even better prospects. There are now some two hundred amateur teams in Denver, a tremendous number when the relative size of the city is considered. Practically all of these are under executive control and "clean base ball" is a universal motto. More teams will be entered this year and more "backers" will be ready to come to their support as the league grows in size.

The league has become a positive, definite force for the physical, social and mental development of the city's junior citizens, and it will be even more powerful as the years roll by, as long as its present high ideals are maintained.



1, Burcher; 2, Dooner; 3, Cullen; 4, Cullinan; 5, McGinnis; 6, Grace; 7, V. White; 8, Chisholm; 9, Murphy; 10, J. White; 11, Floyd; 12, Conway, Capt.; 13, Myers, Mgr.  
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## The Elevating Influence of Sunday Base Ball

By FRED HOGEBOOM,  
Editor of "*Kornor Lot*."

Sunday organized amateur base ball has had an uplifting influence on morals of Denver youth. Anyone not familiar with the conditions in this city only a few years ago can hardly appreciate the worldly betterment visited upon "The City Beautiful" by the advent of this Angel of Goodness. Time was when the gang fight and the crap game held attention on the Sabbath day. This is not written in the sense of a criticism of the "men of to-morrow" who held sway in those days. They were as good at heart as the boys of to-day. The reason for the apparent back-sliding on their part came from the lack of a good, manly diversion to replace these degrading instincts.

Gambling has a wonderful fascination for most souls and all week long Sunday was looked forward to as the day to get rid of pent-up energy by "rolling the bones." \* Seven, eleven, "Little Joe" and other points were called for until the peace-loving neighbors of the community called upon the police to disperse the principals. Then the gang would assemble on another corner and discuss their possibilities of beating the "Dirty Dozen," the "Thirty-eights" or any of a hundred other gangs that had rendezvous in the city at that time. These discussions led to a possible pitched battle the next week.

Base ball was the answer to this momentous question.

How differently the Sundays pass now since the Spalding League of Base Ball Clubs has been organized! Clean, healthy out-of-doors pastime is enjoyed by boys, whose sizes and ages vary as much as the sizes and shapes of the bats they use. Any male person with strength and ability to swing a bat or throw a base ball can find a place in one of the different divisions of the league.

Where a fond father formerly did not know how his son spent a lot of time, to-day he goes out to the nearest corner lot with hopes to see his likeness put the opponent to rout with a timely hit "where they ain't" or to strike out the heavy slugger with three on. The workings of the league are not as intricate as those of professional circuits, yet the results are just as good or better than those of the big fellows. Less is heard



1. Bostich, Elitch Gardens Team; 2. Gilbert, Elitch Gardens Team; 3. Wilson, Elitch Gardens Team; 4. Harper, Elitch Gardens Team; 5. Group of Fraternal Union fans, O'Fallon vs. Fraternal Union game.

about rowdy base ball from the sand lots than among the professionals. The players respect the law of the "powers that be" to the extent that amateur fans seldom see disputes on the field.

Last season saw successes that should stand as a monument to amateur Sunday ball. The city commissioners did all in their power to promote the welfare of players and fans. Vacant grounds were levelled, backstops erected and benches built. Even the churches came to appreciate that healthy minds were encased in healthy bodies. A Protestant Church league of twelve clubs framed a schedule of games under the direction of Spalding's.

A Catholic Church league also made history for itself by staging one of the most interesting races on the corner lots. This is not surprising, for the Catholic schools and colleges always did favor any kind of outdoor sports and all participants are imbued with a keen incentive to win. Their clergymen attend all of the games.

Many pastors who might have condemned Sunday playing a few years ago have taken a decided stand in its favor. Rev. Robert F. Coyle of the First Presbyterian Church is one of the keenest champions for the Sabbath sport. And all of this is due to the clean manner in which the leagues of the city are conducted.

Sportsmanship rules supreme. No official, player or team can take an unfair advantage of another. Umpire baiting is not tolerated for a moment. An unalterable desire to win inspires all players, but they know that loudness and rowdiness would be fatal to their game, so the quietness is further accentuated by the cheering of the onlookers.

The coming season should see further strides in the popularity of the Sunday games of the national pastime. Many of the local talent should go into higher class, as Denver is gradually coming to be known as a city where diamonds in the rough are to be found. And this is due in no small way to the players who have helped to make and keep Sunday base ball clean.



1. Bahl, E. D. Merchants Team; 2. Hobson, N. D. Merchants Team; 3. Finney, N. D. Merchants Team; 4. Lawrence, Bradford Publishing Co. Team; 5. Boscoe, Bradford Publishing Co. Team; 6. Gaut, K. & B. Packing Co. Team.



## Review of Season

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### FIRST DIVISION.

BY CHAIRMAN J. B. CASADAY AND "DUTCH" HOYER.

The "First Division" of the Denver Base Ball Championship League met at the call of the president early in the summer. Eight teams answered roll call, namely, K. and B., Knights of Columbus, Elitchs, Cubanolas, Gold Belts, East Denver Merchants, Sharps, and Cottrels. Later, by unanimous consent of the whole division, the Gold Belts were replaced by the Fort Logan soldiers, which was the final list of clubs in this division.

President Johnson, according to past custom, appointed certain members to act as chairman of their respective divisions throughout the season. J. B. Casaday was appointed to act as chairman of the First Division. After a short discussion it was unanimously decided to adjourn until July 25, when it would be decided how many games were to be played and the schedule drawn up.

This postponement was caused by practically all of the clubs having previously arranged out-of-town games which could not be canceled, also many of these clubs had many high school or college players on their reserve lists that could not join them until after the school term.

The next meeting was called to order the night of July 25 and the following managers answered roll call for their respective clubs: Manager Smith, East Denver Merchants; Manager Ryan, Knights of Columbus; Manager Walker, Elitchs; Manager Burkedahl, Cubanolas; Manager Norton, Fort Logan; Manager Baker, Sharps; Manager McGinnity, Cottrells, and Manager Holmberg, Packers.

With no confusion or petty wrangling the managers got down to business. Each one having made up his mind what to do, lost little time in stating his ideas, which were soon reconstructed to suit all and put into execution. The eight managers agreed that a one-game schedule, in which each club would meet each of the seven others, was the only practical one and one that would allow for both weather conditions and an open date for each club. The one-game schedule was adopted and lots drawn for opposing teams for the first game. A schedule committee, con-



1, Graham; 2, Hilberger; 3, R. Kelly; 4, Mitchel; 5, Street; 6, J. Kelly; 7, H. Kelly; 8, McPherson, Mascot; 9, Olinger, Mgr.; 10, C. Kelly; 11, McGommentory; 12, Miss Gwendelin Olinger.

Barney, Photo.

# OLINGER'S CUBS, DENVER, COLO.



ASHLAND SCHOOL, DENVER.

Dodge, Photo.

sisting of Casaday, Smith and Burkedahl, was appointed to draw up the remainder of the schedule. The chair instructed each manager that the schedule committee would be pleased to accept suggestions from any member of the division. Some of the suggestions that were handed in would have done credit to a regular schedule maker. The meeting adjourned until August 1.

On reconvening on August 1 all clubs were again represented. Each club posted a \$25 forfeit to guarantee appearance and compliance with all rules of the league. It was decided that the total amount of the forfeit money and any and all other moneys should be split 75 and 25 per cent. to the clubs finishing first and second. A \$15 guarantee was offered by all home clubs and was accepted, the home clubs to pay all expenses, including balls, umpires, etc. Ties or postponed games were to be played on the first open date, as provided in the Constitution. Umpire Casaday was named to officiate throughout the season at Elitch's. Other umpires named to act in this division were Captain Schoefel, W. E. Carroll, E. Hadley, S. O'Connor, F. Eichoff, Sergeant Breire, Sergeant Richards, and Harry Wright. The meeting then adjourned until August 6.

The meeting on August 6 found all clubs again represented. The schedule drawn up by the committee was accepted with the understanding that any two contesting clubs could change the place or time of play by consent of both parties. Elitchs and the K. and B. Packers took immediate advantage of this clause in the schedule and changed their game of August 10 to the open date of August 31. The change proved to be a great factor in the deciding of the race, as the Packers were greatly strengthened by that time, while the Gardeners were materially weakened.

Something noticeable at all meetings of this division was the absence of petty wrangling, each manager being ready to agree upon any proposition that was reasonably fair to all the clubs of the division.

Line-ups that could only be changed by the unanimous consent of all the managers were then handed in to the chairman, each one consisting of fifteen players. The meeting was then adjourned and the good and welfare of the division left in the hands of the board of directors of the league, as the manner in which the schedule was carried through necessitated no further meetings.

The managers of this division deserve great credit for the manner in which the games of the entire season were conducted.

Messrs. Burkedahl, Holmberg and McGinnity are well remembered as crack players and have been connected with amateur



1. Deney; 2. S. Larson, Mgr.; 3. Ellson; 4. Heggem; 5. Kelky; 6. Odell; 7. C. Larson, Mascot; 8. Berrey; 9. Menzeni; 10. Hughes; 11. Larey; 12. McTammeny.

**SECHEVERRELL TEAM.**

Winner Junior First Division, Section 5, No. 1.



1. Schaeffer; 2. Webster; 3. Martin; 4. Haak; 5. Dowd; 6. Crowley; 7. Bray; 8. L. Tierney; 9. Brown; 10. J. F. Tierney, Owner; 11. B. H. Tierney, Mgr.; 12. Dempsey; 13. Corbetta; 14. Cain.

**COLONIAL CLUB TEAM.**

Winner Independent Division, Section 3, No. 1.



base ball in this city for many years. Norton, Smith and Ryan, though not players themselves, have a thorough knowledge of the game as well as the financial end, while Baker and Walker still take a hand in all the games and do credit to their clubs.

Another feature of the progress of amateur base ball in Denver was the fact that only one protest was entered from the First Division, which was later withdrawn, also the manner in which the executive body upheld the action of its umpires, which effectively stopped all rowdy base ball.

The readiness with which the members of all divisions of the league have held themselves to donate their services for games for the benefit of charity has increased the popularity of amateur base ball to a great extent.

The season was most interesting from the playing standpoint. The teams were evenly matched and the race for honors was close, not being decided until the last game was played between the Cubanola and Knights of Columbus teams, in which the Cubanolas won, 4-2 after an exceedingly exciting contest.

The Elitch team, with a strong line-up and good battery work, was picked by the majority of base ball fans in the city to win the pennant, but after a series of mishaps in the way of injuries and players leaving, they finally dropped out of the race and finished last. Hutchinson, an outfielder, broke his leg, and Wilson, the mainstay in the box, left to join the Denver team, and this crippled the team beyond help.

The K. and B. Club, although not conceded to be above par at the beginning of the season, made a good fight and was going strong at the finish. If they had played the same class of ball at the beginning there would have been a different story to tell.

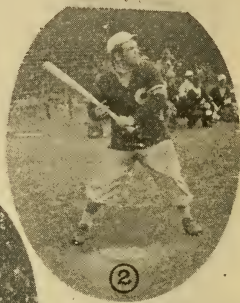
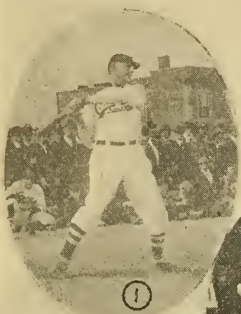
The Knights of Columbus team, champions of 1912, in the running to the last, were classed as the "hitless wonders," winning most of their games by their good fielding and the ability of Pitcher Nichols to hold their opponents to low scores.

The East Denver Merchants were also a disappointment to their followers as they seemed to have the makings of a fast team, but succeeded in winning only one game during the season.

The Cottrell team played erratically and were never in danger of overtaking any of the leading teams. The same could be said of the Sharp Music Club.

The Soldiers appeared at one time to be a winner, but fell down at the critical moment and had to be satisfied with third place.





1, Mesch, Cubanola Team; 2, Herbert, Scott Bread Co. Team; 3, Kennedy, Bliss-Corzon Team; 4, McTammeny, Secheverell Team; 5, Savage, Secheverell Team; 6, Kennedy, Bliss-Corzon Team.

The Cubanola team deserves the honor of winning the pennant and laurels, as they played a consistent game throughout the season and were the best "inside" players in the city. This same brand of ball playing later won for them the title of State Champions, by defeating the Johnstown team, winners of the Weld County League race.

The season developed a number of fast men who would have no trouble at all in making good in any of the minor leagues in the country. Of the Cubanola team we have Roedel, who is a consistent catcher with a good head and fine throwing arm, who knows the game well and plays it all the time. Ryan is a pitcher of no mean ability and will probably go up in the spring. Graham, on second base, was the class of the city in that position, as was Steck at shortstop and Cummings at third base. In the outfield Chadwick is one of the best in the city. Astler at first base, Ryan at second base, Schweigert at third base and Dunn at third base for the Knights of Columbus team were fast in the fielding end of the game, but were a little weak with the stick. Murphy, in the outfield for the same team, was probably the cream of the outfielders and goes to Fort Worth in the Texas League this season. Among the Soldiers were many good men. Waller, catcher, and Wells, shortstop, were old minor leaguers, and Sloan was given a trial by the Denver club. The K. and B. club had Gaut of the Union Association and Max Holmberg in the box, and both ate above the average. Andrews of the Sharps was with the New York Giants at their training camp and learned a lot to make him one of the best among the semi-pro ranks. The Elitch team was made up of a number of minor leaguers, namely, Annis at second, Moore at shortstop, Hutchinson in the outfield and Harper behind the bat. Wilson, in the box for the Gardeners, was later given a trial by the Denver club and Moore in the outfield were among the best.

Some of the notable games of the race were when Elitchs, with the wonderful pitching of Wilson, defeated the Cubans, 5 to 1, and when Elitchs took a 3 to 2 drubbing at the hands of the Knights, Nichols' steady work putting the Gardeners out of the race. The Soldiers then took the Knights to their own level, to the tune of 7 to 6, making a three-cornered tie between the Knights, Cubans and Soldiers, and in the last day's games the Packers put the Soldiers out of the race, while the Cubans, with Tim Ryan, ex-Denver "Grizzly," pitching in championship form, won the pennant by pushing the Knights back into second place.



ARVADA (COLO.) TEAM.  
Winners Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 1.

Schutz. Photo.

## SENIOR AMATEUR DIVISION.

By BEN ROTHENBERG.

Followers of the teams in the Senior Amateur Division of the Denver Base Ball Championship League witnessed some of the best base ball doled out to any of the city fans. Arvada won the championship only after the hardest kind of a base ball tussle with the Pansy Motor Cycle Company and Edgewater. These clubs took second and third place in the Senior standing.

The cup race was decided October 19, at First and Milwaukee, when the Pansy team met defeat, 5 to 1, in favor of the Suburbanites. Previous to this time Arvada and Pansy had met three times, the games always ending in a tie or in protest. This would make it imperative to play the game over.

Every club, no matter in what position it finished, showed the strength to win a game when least expected, owing to good twirling. Pitchers all the way down were gifted with a sensational lot of stuff, and if a few of the twirlers in the second division of the league had even mediocre backing it is possible that the race would have been upset.

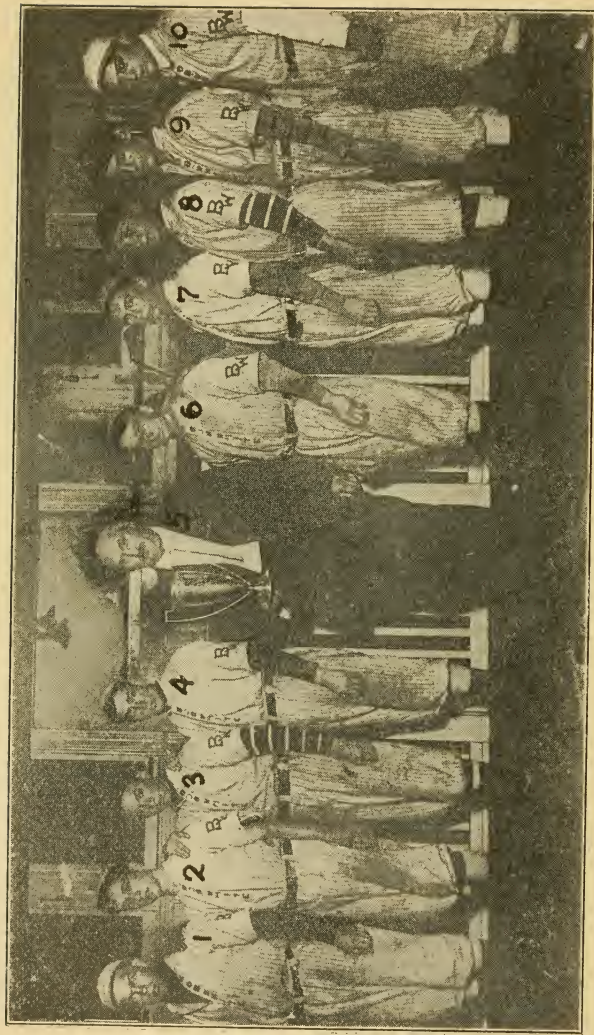
Nichols, Kane, Thum, Wesebaum, Leonard, Pavelka and Betton displayed wonderful pitching form, either at times or throughout the season.

Kane is undoubtedly the Walter Johnson of City League Base Ball. He averaged nineteen strike-outs for the season and lost enough games by one score to have put his team in the pennant position. Kane, like several of the other pitchers in this division, was the hero of a hitless game. He mastered this feat twice. Nichols and Pavelka were able to pitch Arvada into the championship, and this was no light burden against teams of the class that looked forward to the Senior division flag. Leonard, with Barnum, and Thum, with the Nippon Club, were the pitchers most feared by the first division clubs. Thum came to the Japs' help too late in the season, for the Nippons had won only one of their ten games when the former Southern Association twirler signed. Barnum, withal, an outsider for first honors, put up a most formidable front with "Bugs" Leonard doing the hurling.

Edgewater looked to have a splendid chance until far into September, when things broke badly for the team. Several of the stars left and Manager Putnam also had a hard time keeping the rest in condition.

The umpires came in for a lot of adverse criticism, but most of this no doubt was due to the closeness of the race. Besides, good indicator men are hard to get, and so many have to be used in a city with such a large number of leagues.





BOB WHITE TEAM.  
Winners Junior Second Division, Section 6, No. 1.



Interest from the fans held out to the very last, and the managers of the different teams are already preparing to get the jump on opponents for the season to come.

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### JUNIOR THIRD DIVISION.

BY ED WASSON.

The Junior Third Division of the Denver Base Ball Championship League was composed of boys about the age of twelve years, the smallest boys ever playing organized league ball in the city of Denver. It has long been known that the only way in which amateur ball could be elevated to the high plane of which it is deserving was to give the players an early training in discipline. The manner in which the participants in this division handled themselves and lived up to the strict rules of the league without a murmur, gives promise of great things in the future. When these boys grow up and become the renowned players of the future—which they undoubtedly will—they will have learned a lesson which many of the older players find hard.

The championship team, Park Hill Heights, was composed of many of the fastest boys in the league and they achieved the premier position only after one of the hardest and cleanest fights in the city.

The East Denver Boosters, who were in the lead for first place until the last three weeks of the playing season, were only beaten by the superior head work of "Dodie" Connell, the manager of the Hill boys.

This division was composed of eight teams, but as the season drew to a close it was seen that the time was too short to complete the original schedule. At a meeting held August 24, it was decided to finish the year under the elimination series, the four weakest teams dropping out. The following Sunday two more teams were eliminated, leaving the East Denver Boosters and the Park Hill Heights fighting it out for first place, the result of which is well known.

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### JUNIOR SPECIAL DIVISION OF THE D. B. B. C. LEAGUE

BY JOHNNIE KING.

The Junior Special Division was organized for the purpose of having a league with an age limit of sixteen years. It was composed of six teams, which finished the season in the order named below.

The Bob Whites and Cook's Bath Juniors were the real contenders for the pennant, and it was only decided by an extra



1. Jordan. Bob White Team; 2. Wall. Bob White Team; 3. King. Bob White Team; 4. Group of J. P. Henry players.

game, played September 21, 1913. The teams composing this division were of the snappy and fighting order, and every game was a real contest from beginning to end. The boys did everything for the good and betterment of the league, and much credit must be given them for the sportsmanlike manner in which they conducted themselves.

The Bob Whites showed the real class of the league and, although they made a bad start, their finish would do credit to any organization. They are also champions of Denver by reason of their defeat of the Five Point Merchants of the May League, the best two out of a three game series.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Bob Whites .....	14	3	.824
Cook's Bath .....	13	4	.765
East Denver Cubs .....	5	12	.294
Barnum Cubs .....	3	14	.176
C. W. Reichards .....	2	15	.118
F. D. Lilly.....	1	16	.059

#### SACRED HEART COLLEGE JUNIORS.

The Juniors proved to be one of the fastest teams in the city and won twenty-four out of twenty-five games played. The ability of the team showed itself when some of its members succeeded in making the college team and played with the first team like old-timers.



1, Searles; 2, Greenstein; 3, Hudson; 4, Boswick; 5, Toothacre; 6, Whittle, Capt.; 7, Parish; 8, Cecil; 9, Murphy; 10, Graham; 11, Sells, Mgr.; 12, Temple, Scorer.

**JOHNSTOWN (COLO.) TEAM.**

Champions Weld Co. League.

Porter, Photo.

## History of Weld County Base Ball League

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The Weld County Base Ball League was organized for the purpose of arousing more interest along this line in Northern Colorado, as the interest had died out to a great extent, there being at this time only two towns playing ball outside of the college season.

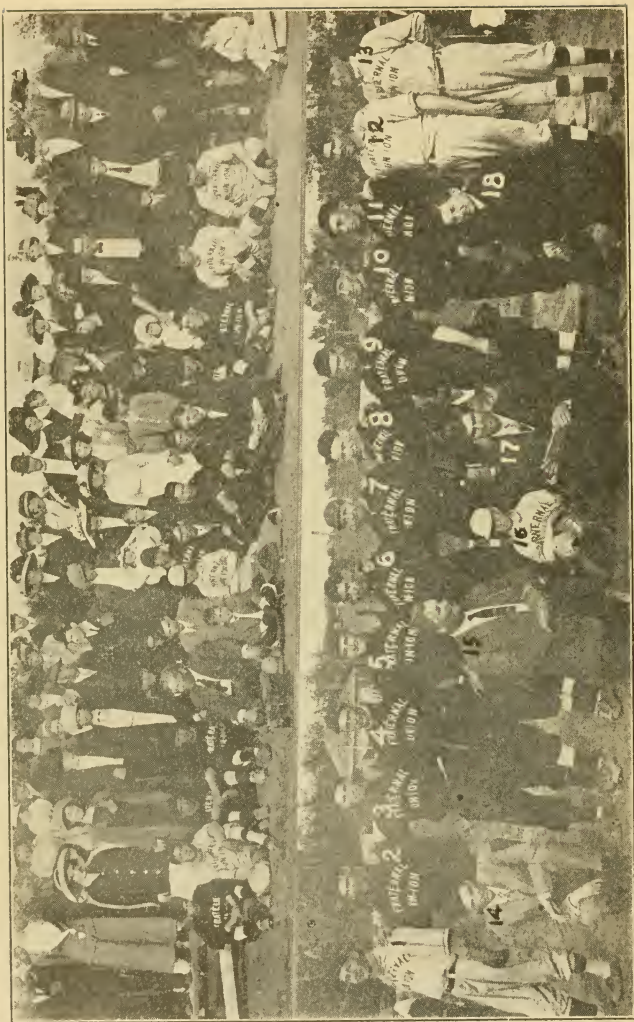
Mr. James Coykendahl of Plattville and Mr. Charles H. Sells of Fort Lupton got together in the early spring of 1912 and talked over the formation of a league in Northern Colorado. Being unable to get any of the large towns interested, they were determined to go ahead and call a meeting of the smaller towns, which convened at La Salle, April 4, 1912. The following gentlemen represented the different towns: Mr. Coykendahl of Plattville, Mr. Murray of Eaton, Mr. Stewart of La Salle, Mr. Kirk of Windsor, Mr. Hicks of Johnstown, and Mr. Sells of Fort Lupton. The matter was thoroughly discussed and it was decided that the only way to assure success in their undertaking was to form a league without the co-operation of the larger towns.

The outcome was the formation of the Weld County Base Ball League, with a schedule of twenty games, to be played Sundays. Mr. Murray was appointed Secretary, and Messrs. Coykendahl, Sells and Murray as the executive committee. They then adjourned to meet in Greeley, April 18, for the purpose of trying to induce Greeley to enter the league, and draw up a schedule, starting the season May 12, 1912, and ending September 12, 1912.

As the opening day approached Fort Lupton seemed to have lost all interest and failed to put a team in the field. This was through no fault of Mr. Sells, as he was taken ill and was unable to keep up the interest in Fort Lupton. Five teams were left in the league and being unable to secure another entry at the moment the result was that there was an open date for one team each Sunday.

Being the first attempt of the promoters in handling a league, the outcome was not expected to be as successful as if they had had more experience. Windsor and La Salle had everything their own way and Johnstown, the smallest town in the league, did not win a single game. The citizens of Johnstown





FRATERNAL UNION TEAM AND FANS.  
Semi-Pro Second Division, Section 2, No. 1.

were dissatisfied at the showing and were ready to quit, which at this time would have been a fatal blow to the league. Mr. Sells, who had recovered from his illness, went to Johnstown on business, and while there was engaged to handle the Johnstown team. He reconstructed their team and in a short time was winning game after game. Plattville at this time dropped out and Milliken entered in its place.

From this on there was an intense interest in the outcome of the league and, instead of the failure which was predicted at the opening of the season, the Weld County League was assured of a brilliant success. Fans began to realize they were seeing real base ball. Special trains were chartered for the towns of Windsor and Johnstown to handle the crowds which were attending the games. The teams finished the season in the following order: Windsor, La Salle, Johnstown, Milliken and Eaton. Much praise must be given the promoters of this organization, as it is the most successful league ever operated in Colorado.

Arrangements for the season of 1913 were taken up immediately and a meeting was called by President Kirk, to be held in Greeley, April 7, 1913. Those present were Mr. Modair of Greeley, Mr. Stewart of La Salle, Mr. Kirk of Windsor, Mr. Sells of Johnstown, Mr. Murray of Eaton and Mr. Fisher of Kersey. As the president was personally interested in one of the participating teams, which would give rise to criticism, it was decided to put in a disinterested man. Mr. Walters of Greeley was elected President and Mr. Modair, Secretary.

As in the first season, the Spalding Official Cork Center Base Ball No. 1 was adopted as the official ball and must be used in all games.

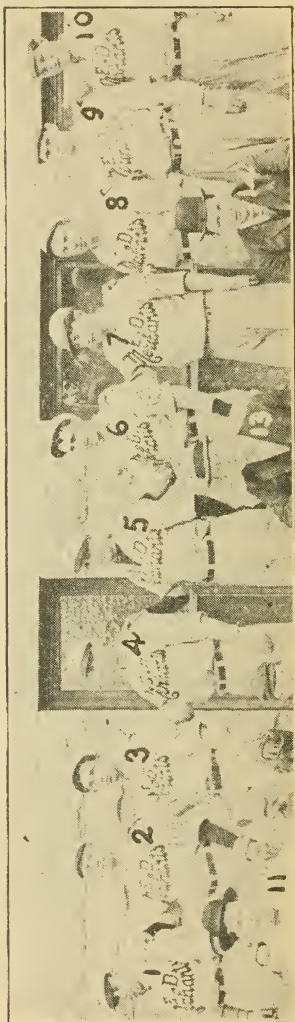
At the next meeting of the organization, April 13, 1913, Fort Collins and Loveland refused to enter the league, so a schedule of twenty-four games for the season of 1913 was drawn up, starting on Sunday, May 4, and ending September 14.

Windsor, Johnstown, and La Salle soon surged to the front, Windsor finally forcing her way into first place; Johnstown second, and La Salle, third. Johnstown hung on the trail of Windsor, sometimes tying her for first place and then dropping back to second. These games created much enthusiasm among the fans, some coming as far as thirty miles to watch these two teams play. Windsor drew as large as nine hundred paid admissions on inclosed grounds and Johnstown six hundred paid admissions on an open ground. These teams met on August 31 and Johnstown jumped into the lead, defeating Windsor 5—3, holding the lead during the remainder of the season and winning championship of Northern Colorado.

In the State championship game between the Cubanolas of



K. & B. PACKING COMPANY TEAM.  
Semi-Pro First Division, Section 1, No. 3.



EAST DENVER MERCHANTS TEAM.  
Semi-Pro First Division, Section 1, No. 4.

Denver and Johnstown, Cubanolas won and were declared champions of Colorado.

The teams in the Weld County League finished the season as follows:

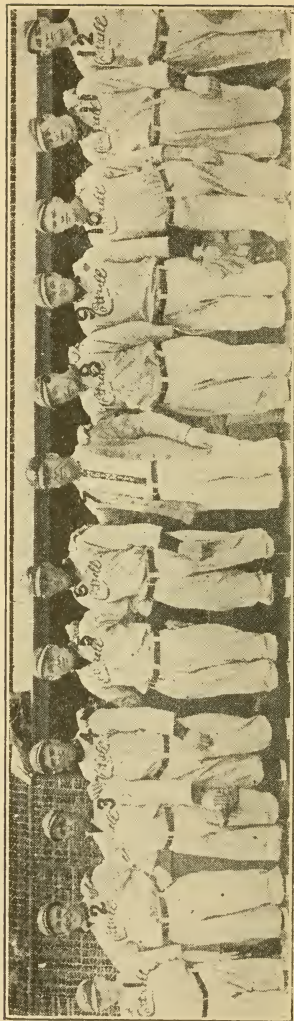
	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Johnstown .....	15	3	.833
Windsor .....	13	5	.722
La Salle .....	9	9	.500
Eaton .....	7	11	.389
Greeley .....	7	12	.368
Kersey .....	0	11	.000

Kersey dropped out of the league after playing eleven games, which left an open date for one each Sunday.





ELITCH GARDENS TEAM.  
Semi-Pro First Division, Section 1, No. 6.



COTTRELL CLOTHING COMPANY TEAM.  
Semi-Pro First Division, Section 1, No. 5.



## Constitution of the Denver Base Ball Championship League

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### PREAMBLE.

SECTION 1. This League shall be called "The Denver Base Ball Championship League" (Incorporated), and shall consist of three divisions: SEMI-PROFESSIONAL, SENIOR AMATEUR and JUNIOR AMATEUR, and such sub-divisions as may seem advisable to the Commission.

SEC. 2. The object of this League shall be to encourage, foster and elevate the game of Base Ball; to enact and enforce proper rules for the exhibition and conduct of the game and to make Base Ball playing respectable and honorable.

### MEMBERSHIP.

SEC. 3. The voting upon an application for membership after organization is completed, shall be by ballot, a majority being requisite for election, and no club shall be required under any circumstance to state how it voted upon such application.

SEC. 4. Upon conviction of any of the offenses prescribed in Section 6, as causes for expulsion, the board of directors may, in the first instance, as a preliminary to, or in lieu of expulsion, impose such fines as are in their judgment commensurate with the injury; which fine may include a penalty for damages sustained for such violation of this constitution, or the legislation or contracts made in pursuance thereof.

SECTION 5. The membership of any League club may be terminated:

(1) By expulsion, in the matter prescribed in Section 23, for failure to sign the constitution and pay regularly any dues or assessments.



SILVER MOON TEAM,  
Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 2.



B. A. C. TEAM.  
Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 6.

(2) Failure to present its nine at the time and place agreed upon to play any championship game.

(3) Playing any game of ball with a club that is disqualified under this constitution; or

(4) Offering, agreeing, conspiring or attempting to lose any game of ball, or failing to immediately expel any player who shall be proved guilty of offering, agreeing, conspiring or attempting to lose any game of ball, or

(5) Wilfully violating any provision of this constitution or the legislation or playing rules made in pursuance thereof.

SEC. 6. To carry into effect the provisions of Sections 5 and 23 of this constitution, the facts in any case covered by such sections must be reported to the President of the League, who shall at once notify the party charged with the specific default or offense, inquiring whether any dispute exists as to the fact alleged. In case the facts are disputed, the board shall, after due notice, try the case under such regulations as they may prescribe, and their findings shall be final and conclusive on all parties except in case of expulsion, when such findings shall be forwarded to each League club, which shall transmit to the President written ballots "For Expulsion" or "Against Expulsion," and if all of the other League clubs vote "For Expulsion" the President shall notify all League clubs of the forfeiture of membership of the party charged; and every club, shall, on and after the receipt of such notice govern its intercourse with such expelled member by the prohibitions and penalties prescribed by this constitution.

## OFFICERS.

SEC. 7. At its annual meeting the League shall by ballot elect a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. The President shall be ex-officio chairman of the Amateur Executive Commission. He shall preside at all meetings of the League, and shall call special meeting of the League, first giving twenty-four hours notice, when he may deem it necessary, or when thereto requested by one-third of the clubs of the League. He shall have power over the umpires as stated in Section 20.



1. Suna; 2. Horuichi; 3. Tom; 4. Toyo, Capt.; 5. Endo, Mgr.; 6. Billy; 7. Yoshi; 8. Mura; 9. Ogawachi; 10. Kono; 11. Kitamura; 12. Kaebara; 13. Oya; 14. Mascot; 15. Fuku; 16. Kawa.

#### NIPPON TEAM.

Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 4.



1. Irvine; 2. Putnam; 3. Springer; 4. Wesebaum; 5. Sahm; 6. Rearhoft; 7. Tomlin; 8. Augustine; 9. Powers; 10. Haake; 11. Heller; 12. Gehring; 13. Mullins.

#### EDGEWATER (COLO.) BOOSTERS TEAM.

Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 3.

He shall appoint an amateur executive commission, consisting of five members, none of whom shall be affiliated with any league team, and who shall have powers as stated in Section 10.

SEC. 8. The Treasurer of the League shall, as such, be custodian of all funds of the League, receive all dues, fees and assessments, make such payments as shall be ordered by vote of the League, render annually a report of his accounts and shall give such bond, with approved security, as the board may require.

SEC. 9. The Secretary shall have the custody and care of the official records and papers of the League, shall keep a true record of all meetings of the League and shall issue all official notices and attend to the necessary correspondence; he shall prepare and furnish such reports as may be called for by the board, and shall be entitled to such books, stationery, blanks and material as the actual duties of the office may require, and shall receive such remuneration as the directors may deem advisable.

### AMATEUR EXECUTIVE COMMISSION.

SEC. 10. The Board of Directors shall be the sole tribunal to determine disputes between clubs; the facts to be submitted and the dispute adjudicated under such regulations as the board shall prescribe in each case. The finding of the Commission shall be final, and under no circumstances shall be reconsidered, reopened or inquired into, either by the League or any subsequent board.

(1) The Commission shall at once consider any complaint preferred by a club against a manager or player of another club.

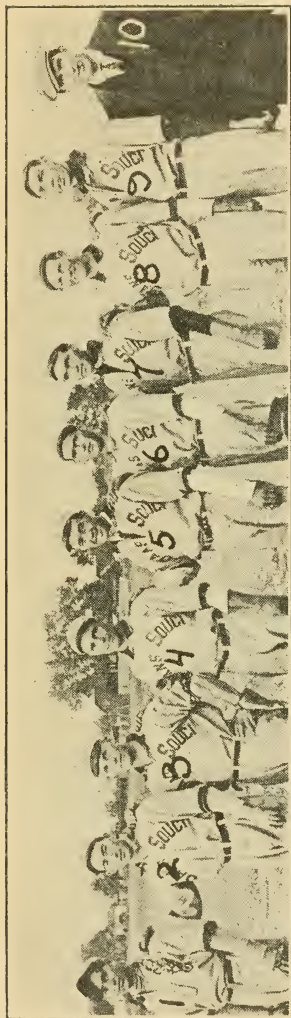
### MEETINGS.

SEC. 11. The annual meeting at which shall be held the election of officers hearing of reports, and any other matters, as specified in Section 13, shall be held the first Tuesday in June.

(1) Special meetings shall be held as stated in Section 7.

(2) The official meeting place shall be A. G. Spalding & Bros.' Store.





1, Mack; 2, Moylan; 3, E. Bailey; 4, C. Bailey; 5, Strewe; 6, E. Gunther; 7, C. Gunther; 8, Coffey; 9, Christopher; 10, Lamont; 11, Reynolds, Mascot.

SANS SOUCI TEAM.

Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 3.



SPANISH A. C. TEAM.

Senior Amateur Division, Section 4, No. 5.

SEC. 12. At such meetings each club shall be represented, and shall be entitled to two representatives, and to have, in addition thereto, any of its officers or ex-officers present at such meeting; they shall present a certificate from the President or Secretary of their club showing their authority to act, but no club shall have more than one vote.

SEC. 13. The following shall be the order of business:

- (1) Reading minutes of last meeting.
- (2) Report of board of directors.
- (3) Reports of special committees.
- (4) Election of new members.
- (5) Amendment of playing rules.
- (6) Amendment of constitution.
- (7) Election of officers.
- (8) Miscellaneous business.
- (9) Adjournment.

### ELIGIBILITY.

SEC. 14. Article 1.—Each club is required to hand in line-up which shall be recorded by the Secretary. The maximum number of players allowed shall be fifteen (15) in the Semi-Professional Division, and twelve (12) in the other Divisions. This line-up shall be final and no club can add to or exchange players, except in cases of individual games, managers having less than nine players shall be allowed to complete their nine provided that the consent of the manager of opposing team and umpire first be obtained. With the unanimous consent of the whole division any club may substitute a player.

Article 2.—Any team playing one or more ineligible players without consent of opposing team and umpire shall be disqualified from further participating in these series.

Article 3.—Names in full, and addresses of eligible players with membership fee, must be handed in to Secretary of the League, and properly recorded before the opening of season.

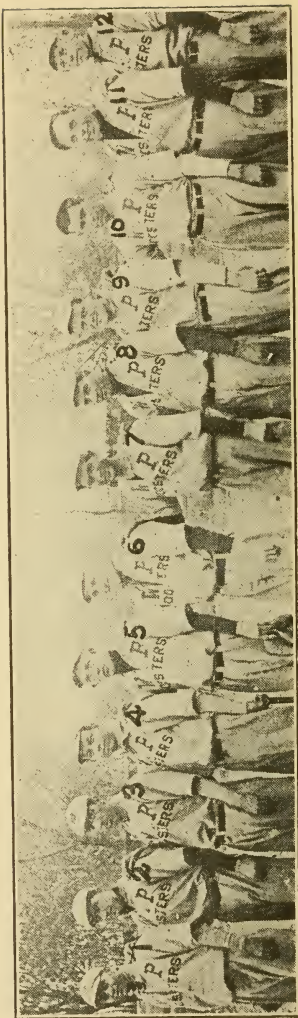
Article 4.—Any manager may challenge eligibility of any player before opening of season, and upon a two-thirds adverse vote, said player shall be declared ineligible by the League.



1, Cummings; 2, Herbert, Capt.; 3, Johnson; 4, Cavis; 5, Scott, Mgr.; 6, Stocks; 7, Jackson; 8, Strasser; 9, Carlstedt; 10, Killiam; 11, Tipton; 12, Boyle; 13, Hadley, Umpire.

SCOTT BREAD COMPANY TEAM.

Semi-Pro Second Division, Section 2, No. 2.



WASHINGTON PARK TEAM.

Semi-Pro Second Division, Section 2, No. 3

## PENALTIES.

SEC. 15. No manager or player who has been suspended or expelled from a League Club shall at any time thereafter be allowed to play with, or serve in any capacity, any League club, unless the term of suspension by the club has expired, or, upon his appeal to the commission, such suspension or expulsion shall have been set aside.

SEC. 16. No club shall employ as manager, scorer or player, any person who has willfully violated any of the provisions of this constitution, or of the playing rules, or who has been expelled from any club belonging to this League, or who shall be disqualified from playing with a club under any provision of this constitution.

SEC. 17. Any person who shall be proven guilty of offering, agreeing or conspiring or attempting to cause any game of ball to result otherwise than on its merits under the playing rules, or who, while acting as umpire, shall violate any provision of the constitution, or of the playing rules adopted hereunder, may be forever disqualified by the President of the League from acting as umpire of any game of ball participated in by a League club.

SEC. 18. Any manager calling his team off of the field before the conclusion of a game shall forfeit the team its membership, entrance fee, and right to any prize money.

## CLUB REGULATIONS.

SEC. 19. Each club belonging to this League shall have the right to regulate its own affairs, to establish its own rules, and to discipline, punish, suspend or expel its own manager, players or other employes, and these powers shall not be limited to cases of dishonest play or open insubordination, but shall include all questions of carelessness, indifference or other conduct of the player that may be regarded by the club as prejudicial to its interests. Provided, That all club regulations must be made subordinate to and in conformity with the general regulations established by this League, and no club shall pre





C. J. BOH'S BOOSTERS TEAM.  
Junior First Division, Section 5, No. 2.



SCHLITTER IRON WORKS TEAM.  
Junior First Division, Section 5, No. 4.



scribe any rule or regulation in conflict with any provision of this constitution or the playing rules.

## UMPIRES.

SEC. 20. The umpires shall be paid salaries to be fixed by the board of directors from time to time.

(1) He shall be under the sole control and direction of the President, from whom he will receive all assignments to duty and all instructions regarding the interpretation of the playing rules.

(2) It shall be the duty of each League club to accept as umpire for any championship game such League umpire or substitute as the President shall assign to such game, and only in the event of the failure of the League umpire or substitute so assigned to appear at the hour appointed for the beginning of such game, shall the duty devolve upon clubs to designate an umpire for such game save in cases provided for in Section 4.

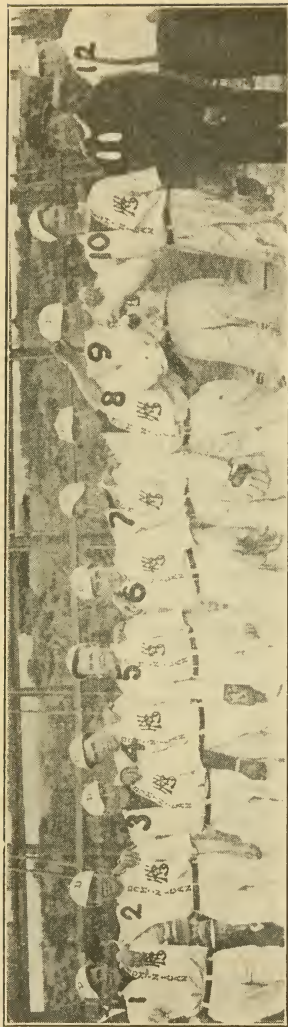
(3) Any League umpire shall be subject to removal by the President at any time, and in the event of the resignation, removal or expulsion of any League umpire the President shall have power to appoint a suitable person to fill the vacancy thus created.

(4) The managers of two contesting teams may, by mutual consent, remove an umpire for cause, in which event both officials shall be paid the agreed salary.

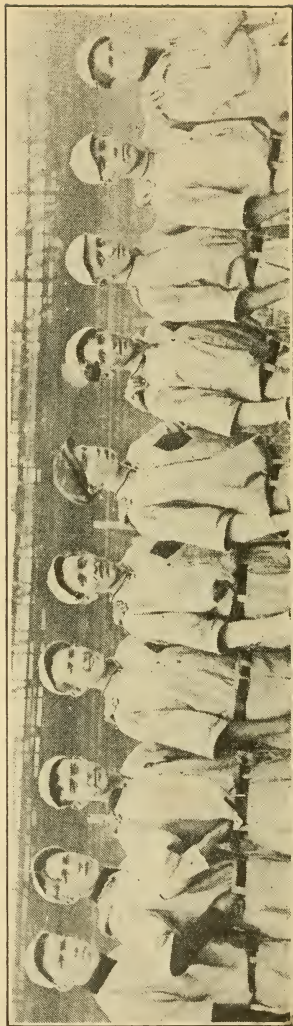
SEC. 21. (1) The umpires, managers and players employed by the clubs belonging to this League shall be considered and treated as members hereof to the extent of being always amenable to the provisions of this constitution, and entitled to all its privileges in matters of disputes, grievances or discipline, as provided in this constitution.

(2) Any umpire, manager, or player, having forfeited membership, shall not be readmitted, except by unanimous vote of the directors entitled to vote.

SEC. 22. The umpire's jurisdiction and powers in addition to those specified in the preceding rules are:



DOMINICAN TEAM.  
Junior First Division, Section 5, No. 3.



1, Major, Mgr.; 2, Gill, Capt.; 3, Nally; 4, Fleiger; 5, Bacon; 6, Campion; 7, Duffy; 8, Benz; 9, Mackey; 10, Pierce.  
NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE TEAM.

(1) The gentleman selected to fill the position of umpire must keep constantly in mind the fact that upon his sound discretion and promptness in conducting the game compelling players to observe the spirit as well as the letter of the playing rules, and enforcing each and every one of the said rules, largely depends the merit of the game as an exhibition and the satisfaction of spectators therewith. He must make his decision distinct and clear, remembering that every spectator is anxious to hear such decision. He must keep the contesting nines playing constantly from the commencement of the game to its termination, allowing such delays only as are rendered unavoidable by accident, injury or rain. He must, until the completion of the game, require the players of each side to promptly take their positions in the field as soon as the third hand is put out, and must require the first striker of the opposite side to be in his position at the bat as soon as the fielders are in their places.

(2) The players of the side "at bat" must occupy the portion of the field allotted them, subject to the condition that they must speedily vacate any portion thereof that may be in the way of the ball or any fielder attempting to catch or field it. The triangular space behind the home base is reserved for the exclusive use of the umpire, catcher and batsman, and the umpire must prohibit any player of the side "at bat" from crossing the same at any time while the ball is in the hands of the pitcher, or catcher or is passing between them, while standing in their positions.

(3) The League umpire is a member of the League. During the progress of the game he is the sole representative of the League, to see that the game is played and determined solely on its merits, and he is invested with ample powers to accomplish this purpose. In the performance of his duties he must remember that his sole allegiance is due to the League.

(4) The umpire is master of the field from the commencement to the termination of the game, and must compel the players to observe the provisions of all the playing rules, and he is hereby invested with authority to order any player to do



1, Rice; 2, George; 3, T. Gamble; 4, Jordan; 5, Edwards; 6, Ulrich; 7, Fowler;  
8, J. Gamble, Mascot; 9, Zeigler; 10, Crabb, Owner. Hollowell, Photo.

**BERKELEY JUNIORS TEAM.**

Junior First Division, Section 5, No. 5.



**LOWELL MERCHANTS ("WHITE SOX") TEAM.**

Junior First Division, Section 5, No. 6.

or omit to do any act, as he may deem it necessary to give force and effect to such rules.

(5) Save where this instrument makes specific exception, the rules of the National Association of Base Ball Clubs shall govern play.

### FINANCES.

SEC. 23. Each club shall before the date of the annual meeting pay the Treasurer the membership fee, and such other sums, as the board of directors may require on dates later on.

(1) The membership fee shall consist of an assessment of fifty (50) cents levied on each club to cover the incidental expenses of the League.

(2) Special assessments may be levied by a majority of the members of the League.

(3) Each division shall have the right to levy special assessments among its own clubs by a majority vote of its members.

SEC. 24. The gate receipts of championship games shall be divided as per agreement of contesting clubs.

### SCHEDULE COMMITTEE.

SEC. 25. (1) The schedule committee of each division shall consist of the general officers of the League.

(2) Schedule meetings shall be fixed at the annual meeting of the League.

(3) No team shall draw a bye more than once during an elimination series.

### POSTPONED GAMES.

SEC. 26. Postponed games shall be played as soon thereafter as possible.





EUREKA CLUB TEAM.



GOLD BELT TEAM.

## Amendments

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SEC. 1. The constitution of this League may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote of the League at any annual meeting, or by an unanimous vote at any other time.

SEC. 2. Any section of this constitution may be suspended, or its provisions made non-applicable, by unanimous vote at a League meeting.

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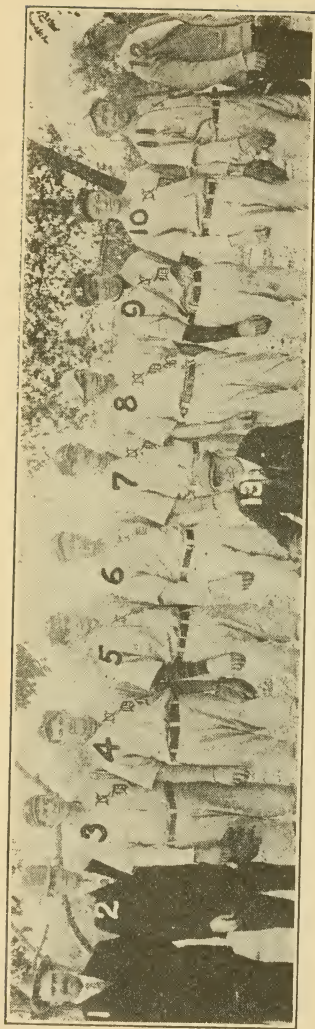
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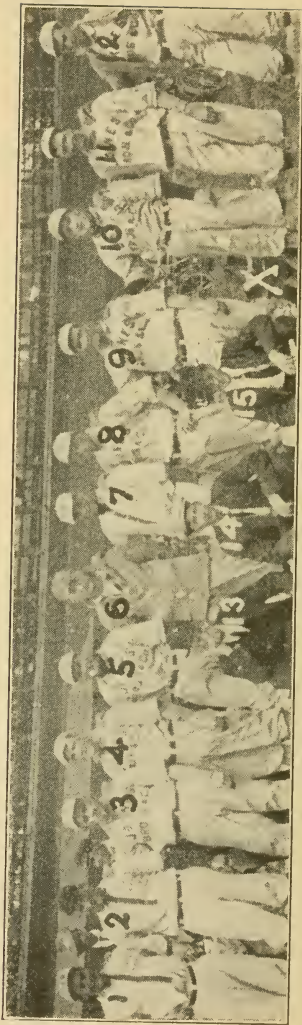
SEC. 1. The Spalding ball shall be the official ball of the League.

SEC. 2. In the semi-professional division, the entry fee shall be twenty-five (25) dollars the team winning the championship to take the whole sum thus posted.

SEC. 3. Any team protesting a game must make any such protest in writing to the President of the League within 24 hours after conclusion of game being protested with a fee of three (3) dollars, which, if its protest is upheld, shall be returned to it. If, however, its protest is not upheld such money shall be turned into the League Treasury.



NORTH DENVER MERCHANTS TEAM.



JONES BROS. & CO. TEAM.

## **Rules and Regulations Governing the Amateur Executive Commission**

As Revised and in Force September 3, 1912.

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**RULE 1.** In addition to regular and special sessions the Commission may meet for the transaction of business at any time and place unanimously agreed on. The Chairman shall mail or wire notice of regular and special meetings forty-eight hours in advance thereof to the address of each of his associates, stating the time and purpose of such meeting.

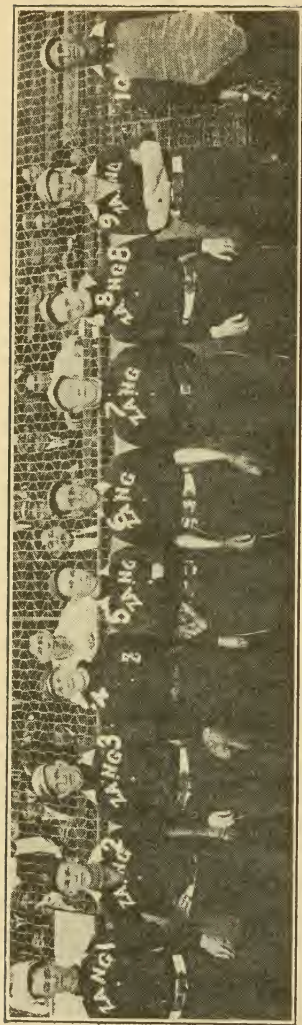
**RULE 2.** The order of business at meetings of the Commission shall be as follows:

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes of preceding meeting and action thereon.
3. Election of Officers.
4. Reports of Officers.
5. Reports of Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. Miscellaneous and New Business.
8. Adjournment.

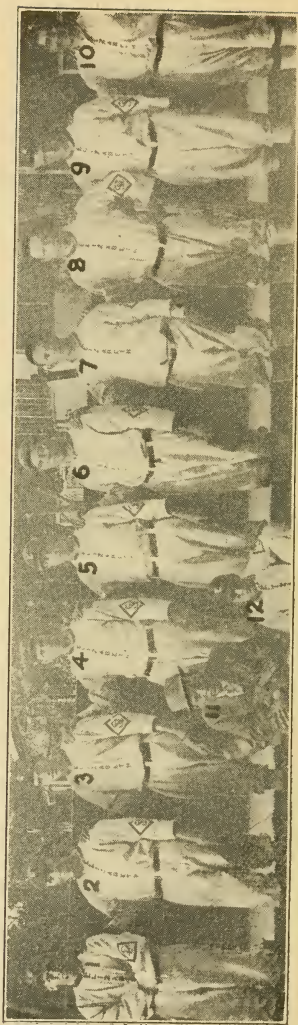
**RULE 3.** The Chairman and Secretary, each of whom in addition to submitting an annual report of his official acts at the annual meeting of the Commission, shall keep a record of and present a detailed statement of the current affairs of his office at all other meetings. They are respectively authorized to create liability for such incidental or other expense as may be necessary for the proper discharge of their duties. The Chairman's report at the annual meeting shall include such review and recommendations as he may deem advisable.

**RULE 4.** The Secretary shall have charge of all records, documents and other papers of the Commission, not required in the





ZANG TEAM.



ST. ELIZABETH TEAM.



consideration of a case; promulgate all rulings and other acts of the Commission, when directed to do so by its Chairman; keep a roster of the officers of each party to the Agreement, together with a list of all Leagues, the membership of each, the address of its League and Club presidents, and the past and present club connections of every\* player.

RULE 5. Acting as Treasurer, the Secretary shall be custodian of all funds of the Commission and shall disburse money only on the warrant of the Chairman, and the receipt of the party entitled to it, and all other amounts entrusted to him for a specific purpose or paid out by the direction of the Commission.

RULE 6. Whenever, in the judgment of its Chairman, additional funds are required to meet the obligations of the Commission, an equal assessment for that purpose shall be levied on each League.

RULE 7. Every finding and ruling of the Commission shall be reduced to writing, signed by the member or members on whom the duty devolves, and recite the reasons on which its conclusions are predicated. All documentary evidence considered in the hearing of a case, except contracts or agreements, copies of which shall be retained and the original returned to the party entitled to them, shall be preserved by the Secretary with the signed finding. A certified copy of a finding or any other document in his custody shall be forwarded to an applicant for it by the Secretary on the payment of a reasonable fee.

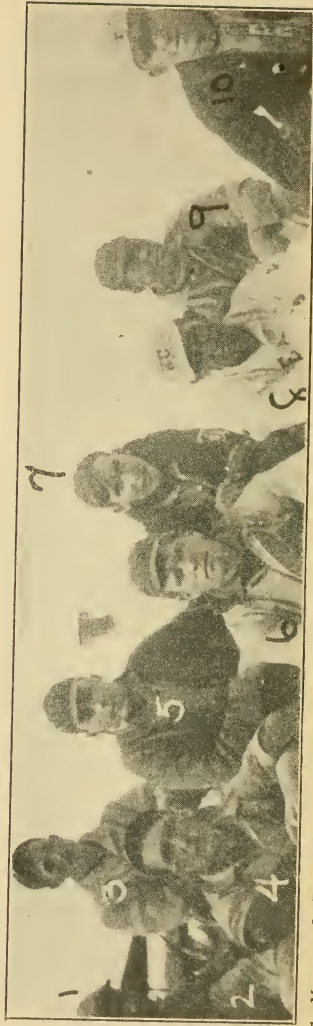
RULE 8. When notice of the selection of the same eligible player is filed by clubs of opposite Leagues, the league which shall be awarded preference in his selection shall be determined by lot, if the player himself expresses no preference. If all the selecting clubs are of the same league or if there is more than one selecting club of the league accorded the preference in selection by lot, the names of the qualifying drafting clubs shall be put in a hat and he shall be awarded to the club whose name is on the first slip drawn therefrom.

RULE 9. A player adjudged to have violated his contract, shall be declared and promulgated to be ineligible to play with or against any league club until reinstated on his application by



1. Warner; 2. Walters; 3. Becker; 4. Bridgewater; 5. Evans; 6. Garman; 7. Bryant; 8. McTaggart; 9. Apple; 10. Brumbaver; 11. Hutchinson; 12. "Faithful," Mascot.

J. P. HENRY TEAM.



1. Morgan; 2. Dunn, Capt.; 3. Wagner; 4. White; 5. Bell; 6. Schoetger; 7. McCarthy, Mgr.; 8. Swift; 9. Lee; 10. Faber.  
CASPER (WYO.) TEAM.

the Commission. If, after full investigation, the Commission finds that such violation of contract was premeditated and without palliating circumstances, the application of the offender for reinstatement will not be considered until the player has given satisfactory assurance that he will not repeat the offense, and will not be granted without the imposition of an adequate penalty.

RULE 10. A player who fails to report to or deserts the club having title to his services shall be declared and promulgated to be disqualified until restored to good standing on his application by the Commission. In all cases of failure to report, or desertion, the offender may be reinstated with or without a fine, in the discretion of the Commission, provided, however, that if the player shall have joined an outlaw team his application for the removal of his disability shall not be acted on within one year after the commission of the offense.

RULE 11. May 1st and October 20th of each year the President of each League shall report to the Chairman of the Commission the name of any player in his respective organization who has violated his contract, refused to report or deserted his team, together with the date and details of his offending, for promulgation. The club neglecting to notify its President, or such offenders prior to the dates prescribed, shall be fined \$1.00 for each omission. As soon after each of these dates as practicable the Commission shall promulgate a list of ineligible players.

RULE 12. Every provision of a finding of the Commission must be promptly and fully complied with by all interested parties. No case will be re-opened except on an application for a rehearing, stating in condensed form the grounds on which the re-opening is requested, filed in writing with the Commission within ten days after the promulgation of such finding.

RULE 13. The Secretary of each division shall furnish to the Secretary of the Commission the full name and address of every player.

RULE 14. Every player who before, during or after the championship season, shall participate in a game with or against a



POST OFFICE CLERKS TEAM.



1. Hannon; 2. Mahoney; 3. Winters; 4. Haberl; 5. Bondiana; 6. Darbin; 7. Todd; 8. McGinnis; 9. McCarthy; 10. Doyle; 11. Lamb; 12. Geiger.

SACRED HEART COLLEGE JUNIORS, DENVER.



club harboring ineligible players, or controlled by ineligible players, shall be punished for the first offense and become ineligible until restored to good standing. Every club which negotiates or contracts with a player who has violated this rule before his reinstatement shall be fined \$5.00. Before the infliction of such fine the player or club shall be given a full hearing by the Commission. A fine imposed for this offense shall be paid into the treasury of the Commission.

RULE 15. In the event of the death or permanent incapacity of a player while in the service of a club, such club shall be allowed to substitute another player, provided that the Commission must be satisfied of the truth of the claims and that such substitute is approved under the rules of his division.

RULE 16. After the list of reserved players has been promulgated by the Secretary of the Commission, all omissions and errors therein must be reported by clubs within seven days after such promulgation to the Secretary of the Commission, who shall on or before the opening of the season of each division thereupon promulgate a revised list containing the names of all players. A player whose name is not on such revised list shall be considered eligible.

RULE 17. The Commission may by a majority vote at any time adopt additional rules or modify or repeal those in force.



1, Stahl, Mgr.; 2, Simmons, Capt.; 3, Smith; 4, Williams; 5, Mathes; 6, Boggio; 7, R. Parsons; 8, Floyd; 9, Riley; 10, G. Parsons; 11, Krouse; 12, Waldhart; 13, Bowden, Mascot.

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**GILPIN COUNTY MINES TEAM, CENTRAL CITY, COLO.**

Section 7, No. 1.



1, Mecalf; 2, Richmond; 3, Miller; 4, Smith, Mgr.; 5, Reeder; 6, Johnson; 7, Graves; 8, Henderson; 9, Scruby; 10, Lockhart; 11, Neeley; 12, Griffin.

**PRIDE OF THE ROCKIES TEAM, LONGMONT, COLO.**

Section 7, No. 2.

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1, Robbie; 2, Doyle; 3, Jones; 4, Hill; 5, Ball, Mgr. and Capt.; 6, Wood; 7, Peck; 8, Galke; 9, Beckman; 10, Keene.

LOUVIERS (COLO.) TEAM.

Section 7, No. 7.



1, Fowler; 2, Hastings; 3, Hombach; 4, Seger; 5, McAllister; 6, Gail, Mgr.; 7, Vernon; 8, Counts; 9, Goshen, Umpire; 10, Dixon; 11, Lomax; 12, Schneider.

COLORADO SPRINGS (COLO.) ZOO TEAM.

Section 7, No. 12.





1, Carr; 2, Berardi; 3, Husband; 4, Frew; 5, Jones; 6, Vitulla; 7, Maxwell; 8, Fabrizio; 9, W. Jones, Mascot; 10, Edones; 11, Donaldson; 12, Ranson, Mgr.

COALCREEK (COLO.) TEAM.

Section 7, No. 13.



1, Lee, Mgr. 2, Finney; 3, O'Dell; 4, Jones; 5, Waules; 6, Gilmore; 7, Rogers; 8, Thompson; 9, Bolinger; 10, Garrutt.

BRUSH (COLO.) TEAM.

Section 7, No. 3.



MONARCH TEAM, VICTOR, COLO.

Section 7, No. 8.



1. Lopez; 2. G. Happs; 3. Lucero; 4. J. Happs; 5. Waston; 6. Lasnik; 7. F. Bishop; 8. R. Bishop, Mgr.; 9. B. Happs; 10. A. Topping, Capt.; 11. Ugiline; 12. R. Topping, Mascot.

RAVENSWOOD TEAM, WALSENBURG, COLO.

Section 7, No. 5.





1, Shabiel, Capt.; 2, J. Sabo; 3, Rosboil; 4, Masser; 5, Monchak; 6, J. M Egan, Owner; 7, D. Sabo; 8, Putkey; 9, S. Sabo; 10, Rosboil.

LITHIA BOTTLING WORKS TEAM, PUEBLO, COLO.



1, Turner; 2, Ruackenbush; 3, Vogelotta; 4, Brown; 5, Dodder; 6, Linebalm.  
7, Davis; 8, Trumbo; 9, Potty; 10, Gibbins, Mgr.

KEOTA (COLO.) TEAM.

Section 7, No. 4.



1, Lavington; 2, L. A. Hollingsworth, Capt.; 3, Anderson; 4, Lyons; 5, West; 6, Charnley; 7, R. I. Hollingsworth; 8, Caley; 9, Hicks; 10, Burns.

ALL STARS, ARRIBA, COLO

Section 7, No. 11.



1, F. Graham; 2, Paulicheck; 3, Bohnet; 4, Verner; 5, Maxwell, Mgr.; 6, Smith; 7, Lund; 8, Henry; 9, W. Graham; 10, Rule; 11, Bross.

PAONIA (COLO.) TEAM.



1, Pettecrew; 2, Quaintance; 3, Rodgers; 4, Snyder; 5, Paddelford; 6, Owens; 7, Miles; 8, Kloster; 9, Gosby; 10, Mayfield.

STATE INDUSTRIAL TEAM, GOLDEN, COLO.

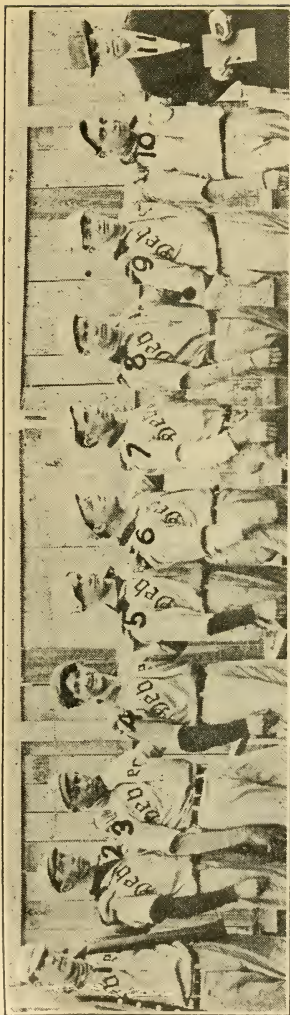
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1, J. Herbst; 2, Mulica; 3, Block; 4, Shorp; 5, F. Herbst; 6, Gaston, Capt.; 7, Upton, Mgr.; 8, Henley; 9, Bishopp; 10, Thompson; 11, Maher; 12, Droeger; 13, Curry; 14, Gaensslen, Mascot.

GREEN RIVER (WYO.) TEAM.

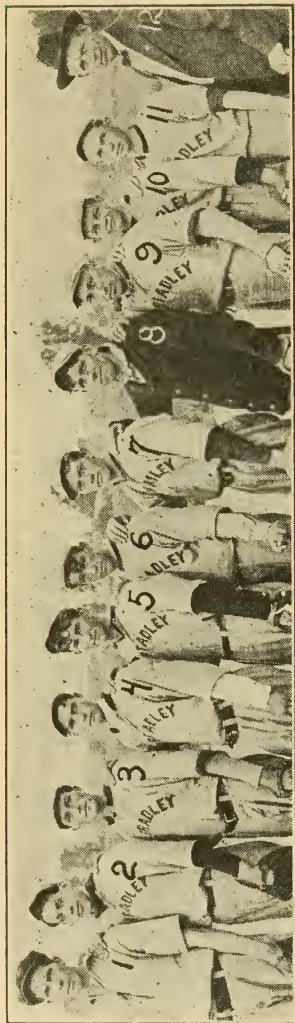




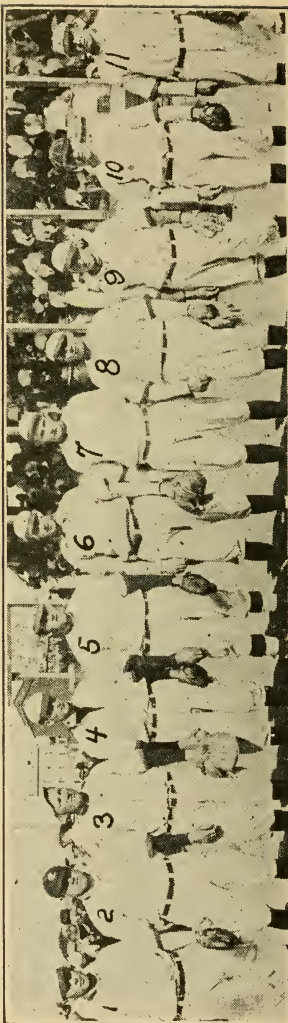
DEBECO TEAM.  
Section 7, No. 9.



1, Boyon, Mgr.; 2, H. Hawkey; 3, Garbrich; 4, Williams; 5, Horney; 6, Hamilton; 7, Rich, Mascot; 8, Thompson; 9, A. Miller, Jr.; 10, A. Miller; 11, Debenham; 12, Bell; 13, G. Hawkey; 14, Dr. Hart Goodloe, Donor of Cup.  
DIAMOND FIRE BRICK COMPANY TEAM, CANON CITY, COLO.  
Section 7, No. 10.



THE I. C. BRADLEY TEAM, FORT COLLINS, COLO. DB-14



1, R. Busch; 2, Sullivan; 3, McIntosh, Capt.; 4, Hopper; 5, Donovan; 6, Wallace; 7, McGraw; 8, Akers, Mgr.; 9, J. Busch; 10, McKnight; 11, E. Busch.  
MONTE VISTA (COLO.) TEAM.





1, L. Hale, Umpire; 2, F. Gardner; 3, Pearson; 4, B. D. Gardner; 5, Low; 6, L. Gardner; 7, Blacker, Mgr.; 8, Call; 9, T. Hale; 10, E. A. Gardner; 11, Wilson; 12, Papworth; 13, W. Hale.

AFTON (WYO.) TEAM.

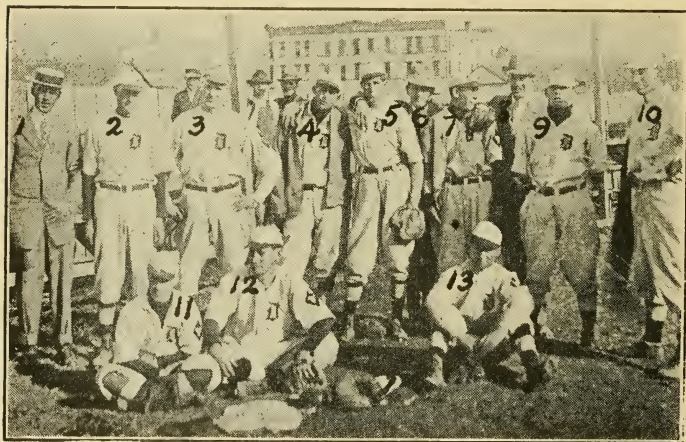


1, Fenwick; 2, L. Mason; 3, Bugh, Mgr.; 4, Coates; 5, Gilmore; 6, G. Mason; 7, Crowe; 8, Schueth; 9, Lang, Capt.

BURNS (WYO.) TEAM.



1. A. Ott; 2. Humbert; 3. Fuller; 4. Gerner; 5. Kammon; 6. Patterson; 7. Billington; 8. Douglas; 9. P. Ott; 10. Cooper; 11. Thompson; 12. Kalle; 13. C. Ott.  
**QUEEN CITY ATHLETICS TEAM, SPEARFISH, S. D.**



1. Sneddon, Scorer; 2. Honkins; 3. Vealey, Capt.; 4. Swenson; 5. H. Smith; 6. Sammon, Treas.; 7. A. Kavanagh; 8. Bones, Sec.; 9. M. Kavanagh; 10. Fisher, Mgr.; 11. Moon; 12. Bryant; 13. F. Smith.

**DEADWOOD (S. DAK.) TEAM.**

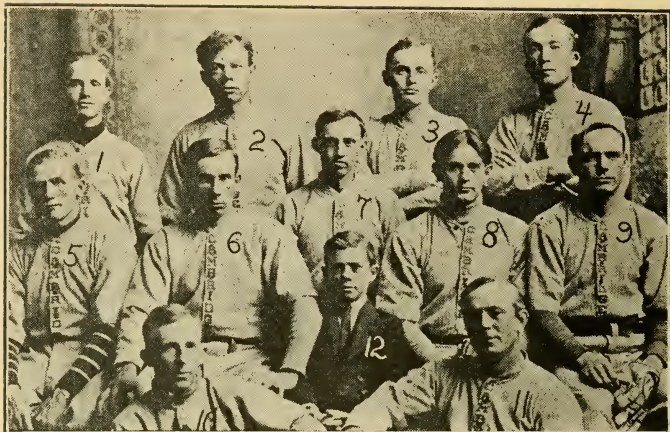


1. Ballard; 2, Vann; 3, Ough; 4, Brisenden; 5, Hamberg; 6, Barger; 7, Hamilton; 8, Presson; 9, Barger; 10, Woodworth, Mgr.; 11, Shaw.  
BENKELMAN (NEB.) TEAM.



1. Vandervoot; 2, McWilliams; 3, Patterson; 4, Herrick, Mgr.; 5, Neuman; 6, Ritchey; 7, Russell; 8, Duckworth; 9, Harrison, Capt.  
INDIANOLA (NEB.) HIGH SCHOOL.





1. Bellamy; 2. McKillip; 3. Easton; 4. Corns; 5. Justus; 6. Patton; 7. Thorne-dike, Mgr.; 8. Lyons; 9. Long; 10. Johns; 11. Gilbert; 12. Mascot.  
CAMBRIDGE (NEB.) TEAM.



1. Patterson, Coach; 2. Prime; 3. Disbrow; 4. Frank; 5. Debban; 6. Swart; 7. Rosser; 8. Bellamy, Scorer; 9. Emmett, Capt.-Mgr.; 10. Tanner; 11. Proud; 12. Disbrow.

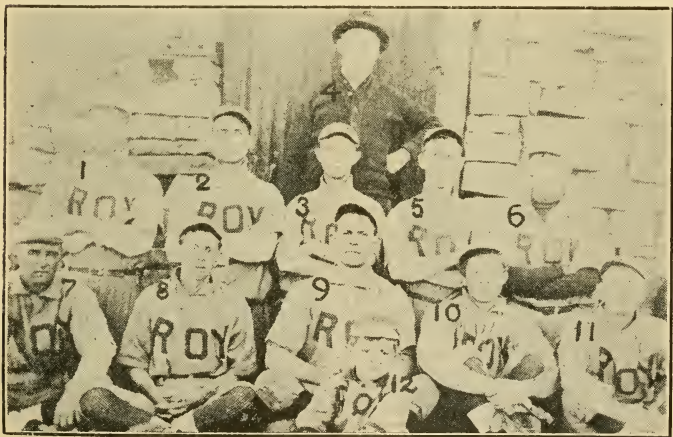
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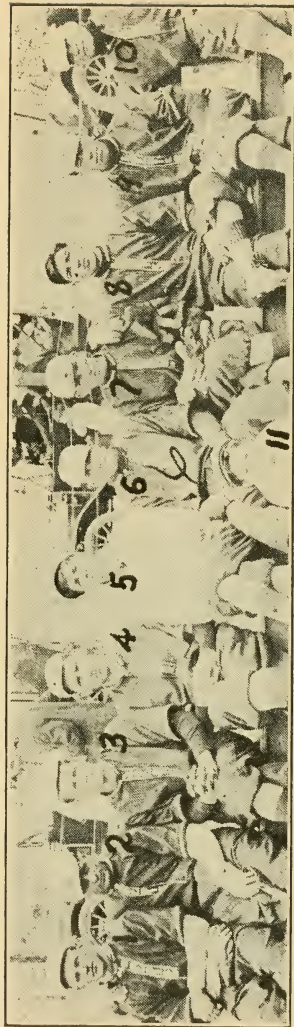
1, M. Dewerff; 2, Fornoff; 3, Enyeart, Mgr.; 4, May; 5, McKee; 6, Snoke; 7, Hudson; 8, W. Dewerff; 9, Hoback; 10, Hudson; 11, McCollin; 12, Alexander.

HAYES CENTER (NEB.) TEAM.



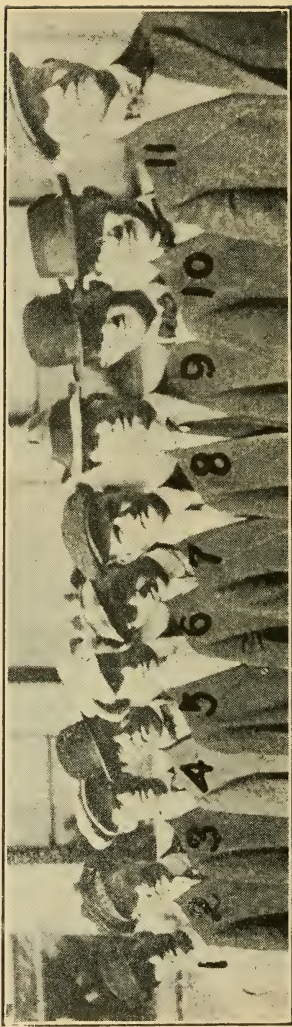
1, Welch; 2, Justice; 3, Aldridge; 4, Armor, Mgr.; 5, Hanson; 6, Branch; 7, Whittig; 8, Florrshim; 9, Weatheral; 10, Hames; 11, Russell; 12, Armor, Mascot.

ROY (N. MEX.) TEAM.



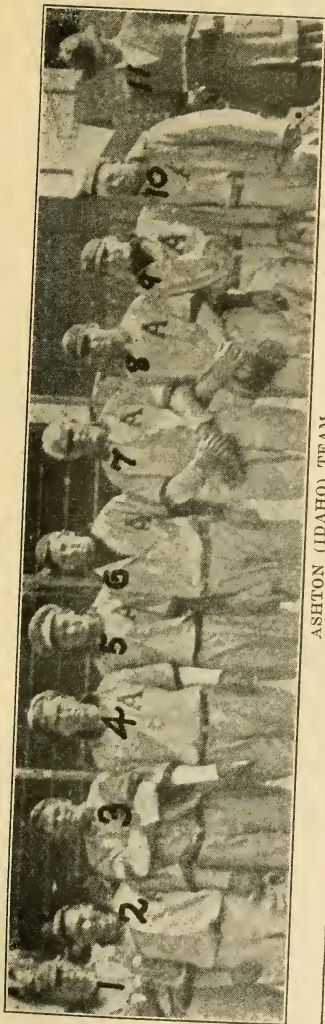
1, Moline; 2, Reynolds; 3, Benham; 4, Perkins; 5, Wyman; 6, Chapman; 7, McMillian; 8, Lindsay; 9, Lynde; 10, Adams; 11, Mink, Mascot.

SOLDIER (IDAHO) TEAM.

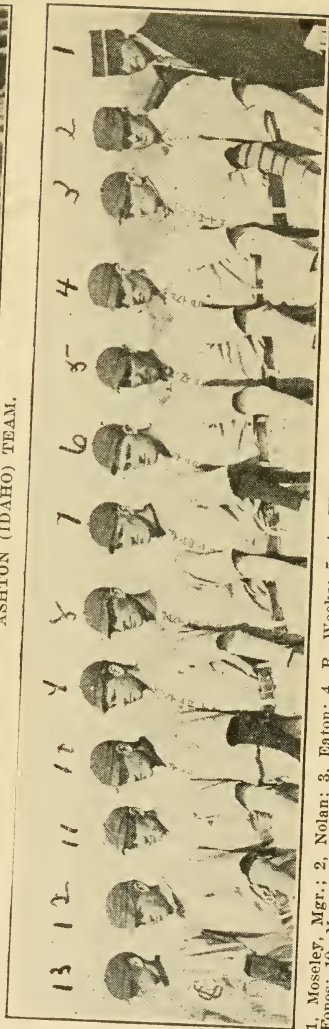


1, Givens, Mgr.; 2, Higgins; 3, Smith; 4, Elwell; 5, Oaks; 6, Snyder; 7, E. Brockman; 8, Tysen; 9, Tumelson; 10, Waters; 11, H. Brockman.

WEISER (IDAHO) TEAM.

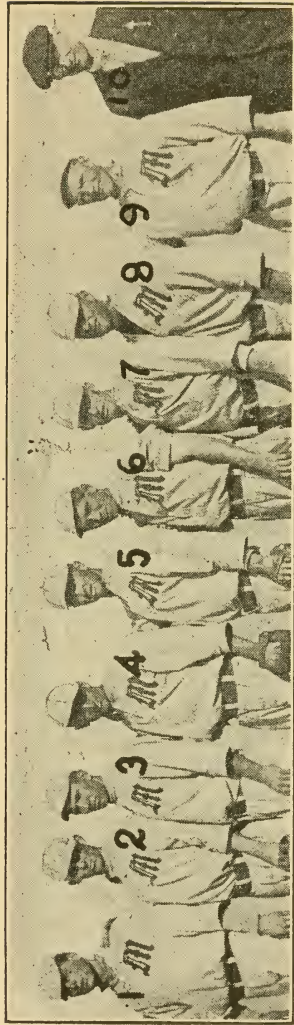


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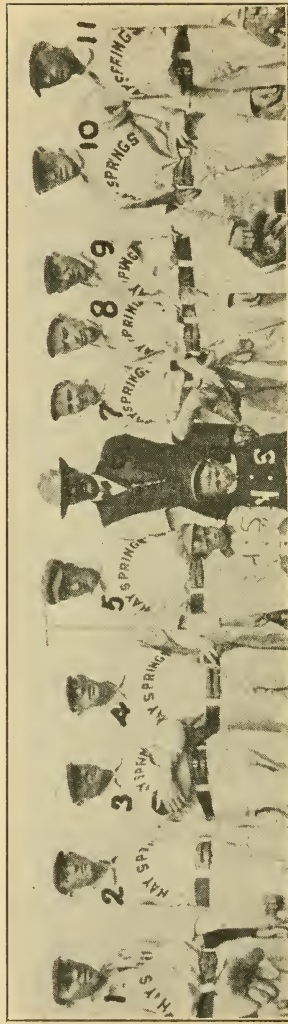
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SANTA RITA (N. MEX.) TEAM.





1, Youmons; 2, Huddord; 3, H. Vondliver; 4, Myseth; 5, Leafgreen; 6, Bowman; 7, L. E. Vondliver; 8, J. W. Vondliver; 9, Zaboser; 10, Swindell, Sec.

MINATARE (NEB.) TEAM.



1, Sheffner; 2, G. Riley; 3, Serfbner, Capt.; 4, McLoud; 5, Brickner; 6, L. J. Stiehl, Mgr.; 7, Bray; 8, Morgan; 9, Stiehl; 10, C. Riley; 11, Nelson.

HAY SPRINGS (NEB.) TEAM.



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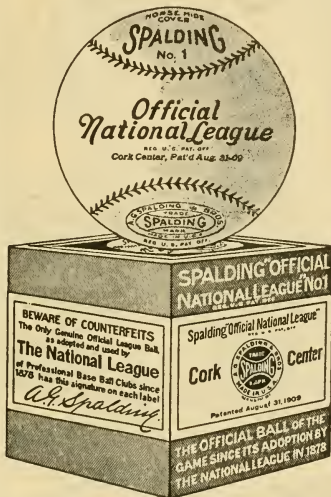
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## The Spalding "Official National League" Ball

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### PATENT CORK CENTER

PATENTED AUGUST 31, 1909



Adopted by The National League in 1878 and is the only ball used in Championship games since that time and, as made now with Patent Cork Center, has been adopted for twenty years more, making a total adoption of fifty-four years.



This ball has the SPALDING "PATENT" CORK CENTER, the same as used since August 1, 1910, without change in size of cork or construction. Same ball exactly as used in World Series Games of 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913.

No. 1 { Each, - - \$1.25  
Per Dozen, \$15.00

Each ball wrapped in tinfoil, packed in a separate box, and sealed in accordance with the latest League regulations. Warranted to last a full game when used under ordinary conditions.

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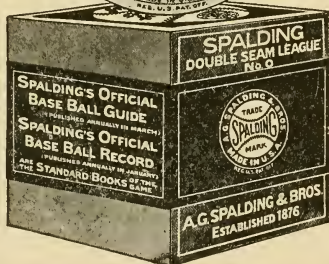
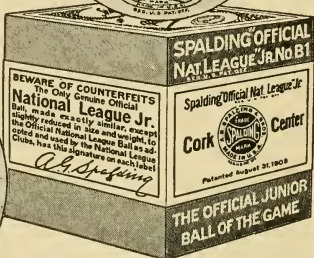
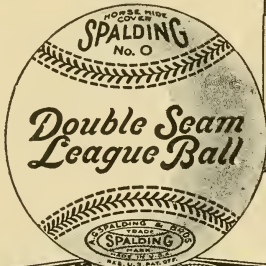
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(Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.)  
**PATENT CORK CENTER**

Patented August 31, 1909

Made with horse hide cover and in every respect, including patent cork center, same as our "Official National League" (Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.) Ball No. 1, except slightly smaller in size. Especially designed for junior clubs (composed of boys under 16 years of age) and all games in which this ball is used will be recognized as legal games. Warranted to last a full game when used under ordinary conditions.

No. B1. "Official National League" Jr.  
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## Spalding Double Seam League Ball

Pure Para Rubber Center

Sewed with double seam, rendering it doubly secure against ripping. The most durable ball made. Horse hide cover, pure Para rubber center, wound with best all-wool yarn. Warranted to last a full game when used under ordinary conditions, but usually good for two or more games.

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No. **1RC.** Horse hide cover, pure Para rubber center, wound with best wool yarn; double stitched red and green. Each, **\$1.00** Doz., **\$12.00**



**Spalding City League**

No. **L4.** Horsehide cover, and rubber center wound with yarn. Full size and weight. Very well made. Each, **75c.** Doz., **\$9.00**



**Spalding National Association Jr.**

No. **B2.** Horsehide cover, pure Para rubber center wound with yarn. Slightly under regulation size. Each, **75c.**

Above balls warranted to last a full game when used under ordinary conditions.



**Spalding Professional**

No. **2.** Horse hide cover, full size. Carefully selected material; first-class quality. In separate box and sealed. Each, **50c.**



**Spalding Public School League**

No. **B3.** Junior size, horse hide cover, rubber center wound with yarn. For practice by boys' teams. Each, **50c.**



**Spalding Lively Bounder**

No. **10.** Horse hide cover Inside is all rubber, liveliest ball ever offered. In separate box and sealed. Each, **25c.**



**Spalding Junior Professional**

No. **7B.** Slightly under regular size. Horse hide cover, very lively. Perfect boys' size ball. In separate box and sealed. . . . . Each, **25c.**

**Spalding King of the Diamond**

No. **5.** Full-size, good material, horse hide cover In separate box. Each, **25c.**

**Spalding Boys' Favorite Ball**

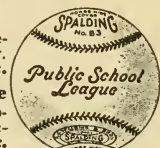
No. **12.** Lively, two-piece cover. Dozen balls in box. . . . . Each, **10c.**

**Spalding Boys' Amateur Ball**

No. **11.** Nearly regulation size and weight. Best for the money on market. Dozen balls in box. . . Each, **10c.**

**Spalding Rocket Ball**

No. **13.** Good bounding ball, boys' size. Best 5-cent two-piece cover ball on the market. Dozen balls in box. Each, **5c.**



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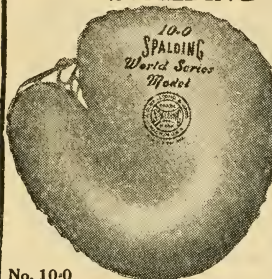


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## SPALDING CATCHERS' MITTS



No. 10-0



No. 7-0



No. 5-0

No. 11-0. "The Giant." Heavy brown leather face, specially shaped and treated. Leather laced back. Special "stick-on-the-hand" strap-and-buckle fastening. Ea., \$10.00

No. 10-0. "WORLD SERIES." Patented Molded Face; modeled after ideas of greatest catchers. Brown calfskin throughout. King Patent Padding (June 28, 1910). Leather lace; leather strap and brass buckle fastening. Ea., \$8.00

No. 10-0P. "WORLD SERIES." Same as No. 10-0, except special perforated palm. King Patent Padding (June 28, 1910). Ea., \$8.00

No. 9-0. "Three-and-Out." Patented Molded Face; large model. Has deep "pocket," no seams or rough places on face. Hair felt padding; leather lace; leather strap; brass buckle fastening. Larger than No. 10-0. Ea., \$8.00

No. 9-0P. "Three-and-Out." Patented "Perforated" Palm. Otherwise same as No. 9-0 Mitt. Ea., \$8.00

No. 8-0. "Olympic." Palm of special leather that we put out last season in our "Broken-In" Basemen's Mitts and Infielders' Gloves. Leather prepared so it "holds the shape." Leather lace. Hand stitched, formed padding. Ea., \$7.00

No. 7-0. "Perfection." Brown calfskin. Patent combination shaped face and Fox Patent Padding Pocket (February 25, '12) so additional padding may be inserted. Extra padding with each mitt. Leather lace. Ea., \$6.00

No. 6-0. "Collegiate." Patented Molded Face. Special olive colored leather, perfectly tanned to produce necessary "pocket" with smooth surface on face. King Patent Felt Padding (June 28, '10). Padding may be adjusted readily. Leather lace. Ea., \$5.00

No. 0G. "Conqueror." Special brown calf, bound with black leather. Semi-molded face used is a near approach to our genuine patented molded face. Hand stitched felt padding; patent laced back and thumb; leather laced; strap-and-buckle fastening. Heel of hand piece felt lined. Leather bound edges. Ea., \$5.00

No. 5-0. "League Extra." Molded Face. Special tanned buff colored leather, soft and pliable, hand formed felt padding. Leather bound edges. Ea., \$4.00

No. OK. "OK Model." Semi-molded, brown horse hide face, black leather side piece, brown calf back and finger piece; padded, special hand formed and stitched; bound edges. Ea., \$4.00

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No. 2-O. "Leader." Brown oak leather face, back and finger piece, black leather side piece, red leather trimming. Padded. Leather lace. Ea. \$3.50

No. 4-O. "League Special." Molded Face. Brown leather; felt padding; reinforced, laced at thumb; patent laced back. . . Each, \$3.00

No. 3-O. "Decker Patent." Brown oak leather; laced back; strap-and-buckle fastening. \$3.50

No. OR. "Decker Patent." Black grain leather; reinforced, laced at thumb; laced back. \$2.50

No. OH. "Handy." Drab horse hide face, side and finger piece, brown leather back; black leather binding. Laced back; laced at thumb. \$3.00

No. O. "Interstate." Brown grain leather face, sides and finger piece, pearl grain leather back; laced at thumb; patent laced back. Ea., \$3.00

No. OA. "Inter-City." Large size. Cowhide face and finger piece, green leather back, black leather side piece. Red leather binding, leather lace. Laced back. . . Each, \$2.50

No. 1S. "Athletic." Smoked horse hide face and finger piece, brown leather side piece and back; laced back. Special padding. . . Each, \$2.00

No. 1R. "Semi-Pro." Black leather; reinforced, laced at thumb; laced back. Each, \$2.00

No. 1X. "Trade League." Face and finger piece buff colored, black back and side piece; leather lace; laced-back. . . . Each, \$2.00

No. 1C. "Back-Stop." Gray leather face and finger piece; brown leather side and back; laced at thumb; laced back. . . Each, \$1.50

No. 1D. "Champion." Black leather face, back, and finger piece, brown leather side. Padded; laced back. . . . Each, \$1.50

No. 1A. "Catcher." Oak tanned face, back and finger piece, black leather side piece. Laced back; laced at thumb. . . . Each, \$1.25

No. 2C. "Foul Tip." Oak leather. . Padded; laced at thumb; back full laced. Each, \$1.00

No. 2R. "Association." Black smooth tanned leather face, back and finger piece; tan leather sides; padded; laced back. . . . Each, \$1.00

No. 3. "Amateur." Oak tanned face, back and finger piece. Laced thumb, laced back. Ea. 75c.

No. 3R. "Interscholastic." Black leather face, back and finger piece, sides of brown leather; padded; laced at thumb. . . . Each, 75c.

No. 4. "Public School." Large size. Face, finger piece and back brown oak tanned leather; padded; reinforced, laced at thumb. Ea., 50c.

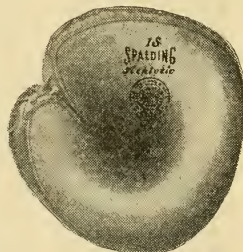
No. 5. "Boys' Delight." Face and finger piece of special brown oak tanned leather; canvas back; laced thumb; well padded. Each, 25c.

No. 6. "Boys' Choice." Brown oak tanned leather face; padded; laced thumb. Each, 25c.

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No. 1S



No. 2C

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No. VXL. "Just Right." Brown calfskin, specially treated to help players break glove into shape. Full leather lined. Weltd seams. King Patent Felt Padding (June 28, 1910). Each, \$5.00

No. SXL. "Ail-Players." "Broken-In" style; specially prepared leather. Needs no breaking in, simply slip it on and start playing. Finest quality material throughout. Full leather lined. Weltd seams. King Patent Felt Padding (June 28, 1910). Each, \$5.00

No. AA1. "WORLD SERIES." Professional model. Finest buckskin, specially treated to help player break glove into shape. Very little padding. Weltd seams. Leather lined. One of the most popular models. Regular padding. Each, \$4.00

No. BB1. "WORLD SERIES." Professional model. Finest buckskin. Worn by successful National and American League infielders. Good width and length. Leather lined throughout. Weltd seams. King Patent Felt Padding (June 28, 1910). Each, \$4.00

No. SS. "Leaguer." Designed by one of the greatest infielders that ever played. It is an all-around style and suitable for any infield player. Best buckskin. Weltd seams. Leather lined. Each, \$4.00

No. PXL. "Professional." Finest buckskin. Heavily padded around edges and little finger. Extra long to protect wrist. Leather lined. Weltd seams. Ea., \$3.50

No. RXL. "League Extra." Black calfskin. Highest quality throughout. Design similar to No. PXL. Full leather lined. Weltd seams. Each, \$3.50

No. PX. "Professional." Buckskin. Same as in PXL. Padded according to ideas of prominent players who prefer felt to leather lining. Weltd seams. Ea., \$3.00

No. XWL. "League Special." Tanned calfskin. Padded with felt. Extra long to protect wrist. Highest quality workmanship. Full leather lined. Weltd seams. Each, \$3.00

No. 2W. "Minor League." Smoked horse hide. Professional model. Full leather lined. King Patent Felt Padding, as in Nos. SXL, VXL and BB1. Weltd seams. Each, \$3.00

No. 2XR. "Inter-City." Black calfskin. Professional style. Specially padded little finger; leather strap at thumb. Weltd seams. Leather lined. Each, \$2.50

No. 2X. "League." Tanned pearl colored grain leather. Model same as No. SS. Weltd seams. Leather lined. Each, \$2.50

No. 2Y. "International." Smoked horse hide. Professional style. Padded little finger; leather strap at thumb. Weltd seams. Full leather lined. Each, \$2.50

No. PBL. "Professional Jr." Youths' Professional style. Selected velvet tanned buckskin. Same as PXL men's size. Leather lined. Weltd seams. Ea., \$2.50

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No.  
AA1



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SS



No.  
PX



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2XR

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No. 4X. "Association." Brown leather, specially treated to make it pliable. Padded little finger; leather strap at thumb. Welted seams. Leather lined. Ea., \$2.00  
No. 3X. "Semi-Pro." Gray buck leather. Large model. Padded; welted seams. Leather lined. Each, \$2.00  
No. 3XR. "Amateur." Black leather. Padded; extra large thumb; welted seams. Leather lined. Ea., \$2.00  
No. XL. "Club Special." Special white tanned leather. Correctly padded on professional model. Welted seams. Full leather lined. . . . Each, \$1.50  
No. XLA. "Either Hand." Worn on right or left hand. Special white tanned leather. Correctly padded. Welted seams. Full leather lined. Each, \$1.50  
No. 11. "Match." Professional style. Special tanned olive colored leather throughout. Welted seams. Correctly padded. Full leather lined. Each, \$1.50  
No. ML. "Diamond." Special model, very popular. Smoked sheepskin, padded. Full leather lined. Ea., \$1.50  
No. XS. "Practice." Velvet tanned leather. Welted seams; inside hump. Full leather lined. Each, \$1.25  
No. 15. "Regulation." Men's size. Brown leather, padded. Welted seams. Palm leather lined. Ea., \$1.00  
No. 15R. "Regulation." Men's size. Black leather, padded; inside hump. Palm leather lined. Ea., \$1.00  
No. 10. "Mascot." Men's size. Olive leather, padded. Popular model. Palm leather lined. Ea., \$1.00  
No. X. Men's size. Oak tanned brown leather. Professional model. Leather strap at thumb; padded. Welted seams. Leather lined. . . . Each, \$1.00  
No. XB. "Boys' Special." Professional style. Special white leather. Welted seams. Leather lined. Ea., \$1.00  
No. 12. "Public School." Full size. White chrome leather, padded; inside hump. Palm leather lined. Ea., 75c.  
No. 12R. "League Jr." Full size. Special black tanned leather. Lightly padded, but extra long; palm leather lined. Welted seams. Inside hump. Ea., 75c.  
No. 16. "Junior." Full size. White chrome leather, padded; extra long. Palm leather lined. Each, 50c.  
No. 13. "Interscholastic." Youths'. Oak tanned brown leather. Professional model, leather web at thumb; padded. Welted seams. Leather lined. Ea., 75c.  
No. 16W. "Star." Full size. White chrome leather. Welted seams; padded. Palm leather lined. Ea., 50c.  
No. 14. "Boys' Amateur." Youths' professional style. Special tanned white leather, padded; inside hump. Palm leather lined. . . . Each, 50c.  
No. 17. "Youths'." Good size. Brown smooth leather. Padded; inside hump. Palm leather lined. Each, 50c.  
No. 18. "Boys' Own." Oak tanned leather. Padded; inside hump. Palm leather lined. . . . Each, 25c.  
No. 20. "Boys' Favorite." Oak tanned. Properly padded. Palm leather lined. . . . Each, 25c.



No.  
3X



No.  
XLA



No.  
XB



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No. BXP



No. CO



No. DX



No. 2MF

## Spalding "WORLD SERIES" Basemen's Mitts

- No. ABX. "Stick-on-the-Hand." Calfskin. Leather lace; strap at back. . . . . Each, \$5.00  
 No. AAX. "First Choice." Broken-In Model. Special leather. King Patent Felt Padding. . . . . Each, \$5.00  
 No. AXX. "Good Fit." Selected brown calfskin, bound with black leather. Leather lacing. Ea., \$4.00  
 No. BXS. "League Special." Selected brown calfskin, bound with brown leather. Leather lacing. Leather strap support at thumb. . . . . Each, \$4.00  
 No. AXP. "WORLD SERIES." White buck. Leather lacing. King Patent Felt Padding. . . . . Each, \$4.00  
 No. BXP. "WORLD SERIES." Calfskin; leather lacing. Strap thumb. King Patent Felt Padding. Ea., \$4.00  
 No. CO. "Professional." Olive calfskin, specially treated. Padded; leather laced, except heel. \$3.00  
 No. CX. "Semi-Pro." Face of smoke color leather, back of brown, laced, except heel; padded. Ea., \$2.50  
 No. CD. "Red Oak." Brown leather, red leather binding. Laced, except thumb, and heel. Each, \$2.50  
 No. CXR. "Amateur." Black calfskin face, black leather back and lining. Padded; laced. Ea., \$2.00  
 No. CXS. "Amateur." Special brown grained leather. Padded; laced, except at heel. Each, \$2.00  
 No. DX. "Double Play." Oak tanned, laced, except at heel. Nicely padded. . . . . Each, \$1.50  
 No. EX. "League Jr." Black smooth leather, laced all around, except at heel. Suitably padded. Ea., \$1.00

All Mitts described above, patented Aug. 10, 1910.  
 King Patent Padding, patented June 28, 1910.

- "League Extra" Pitchers' and Basemen's Mitt  
 No. 1F. Face of special tanned leather, balance of brown calfskin. Without hump. Laced all around. Strap-and-buckle fastening. . . . . Each, \$3.50

## Spalding Fielders' Mitts

- No. 2MF. "League Special." Brown calfskin face and back; extra full thumb, leather web; leather lined. . . . . Each, \$3.00  
 No. 5MF. "Professional." Tanned olive leather, padded with felt; leather finger separations; leather lined; full thumb, leather web. . . . . Each, \$2.00  
 No. 6MF. "Semi-Pro." White tanned buckskin; leather finger separations; leather lined; large thumb, well padded, leather web. . . . . Each, \$1.50  
 No. 7MF. "Amateur." Pearl colored leather; leather finger separations; padded; leather lined; thumb with leather web. . . . . Each, \$1.00  
 No. 8F. "Amateur." Black tanned smooth leather; padded; leather lined; reinforced and laced at thumb. Strap-and-buckle fastening. . . . . Each, \$1.00  
 No. 9F. "League Jr." Boys'. Oak tanned leather, padded, reinforced and laced at thumb. . . . . Each, 50c.

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*Raymond* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
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Well balanced, comparatively light weight, with sufficient wood to give splendid driving power. Weights from 36 to 40 ounces. Length 34 1/2 in.

*Frank M. Schulte* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
Very small handle, and balanced so that with a full swing, terrific driving power results. Weights from 37 to 41 ounces. Length 35 inches.

*Samuel C. Campbell* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
Splendid model, comparatively small handle, well balanced. Weights from 40 to 44 oz. Length 35 in.

*Frank A. Chance* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
Extra large heavy bat with thick handle. Weights from 44 to 48 ounces. Length 35 inches.

*Ed R. Foster* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
Different model from that formerly used by Clarke, improved in balance, model and length. Weights from 39 to 43 ounces. Length 34 1/2 inches.

*Agnes O. Anderson* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
Short bat, large handle, well rounded end. Weights from 40 to 44 ounces. Length 32 1/2 in.

*Milly J. Huggins* AUTOGRAPH MODEL  
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One of the best all around models ever produced. Medium small handle and well distributed striking surface. Equally suitable for the full swing and for the choke style of batting. Weights from 40 to 45 ounces. Length 34 inches.

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Furnished in any of the following twelve models—Mention model number when ordering

LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT
Model S1—31 in.	35 to 39 oz.	Model S5—34 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model S9—35 in.	40 to 45 oz.
Model S2—34½ in.	40 to 45 oz.	Model S6—33 in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model S10—33 in.	37 to 43 oz.
Model S3—31½ in.	38 to 42 oz.	Model S7—33 in.	37 to 43 oz.	Model S11—35 in.	42 to 46 oz.
Model S4—32½ in.	40 to 45 oz.	Model S8—34 in.	39 to 44 oz.	Model S12—33 in.	40 to 44 oz.

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LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT
Model P1—31 in.	35 to 39 oz.	Model P5—34 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model P9—34½ in.	40 to 45 oz.
Model P2—33 in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model P6—35 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model P10—34 in.	38 to 42 oz.
Model P3—33 in.	39 to 44 oz.	Model P7—34 in.	39 to 43 oz.	Model P11—35 in.	45 to 50 oz.
Model P4—33 in.	36 to 40 oz.	Model P8—34½ in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model P12—35 in.	40 to 45 oz.

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LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT
Model D1—31 in.	35 to 39 oz.	Model D5—34 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model D9—34½ in.	40 to 45 oz.
Model D2—33 in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model D6—35 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model D10—34 in.	38 to 42 oz.
Model D3—33 in.	39 to 44 oz.	Model D7—34 in.	39 to 43 oz.	Model D11—35 in.	45 to 50 oz.
Model D4—33 in.	36 to 40 oz.	Model D8—34½ in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model D12—35 in.	40 to 45 oz.

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No. 100G. Models same as our "Professional Oil Finish," but finished in a high French polish, with no staining. Timber is same as in our "Players' Autograph," "All Star," and other highest quality lines, and models duplicate in lengths, weights, etc., the line of Spalding "Professional Oil Finish" styles. Each, \$1.00

Furnished in any of the following twelve models—Mention model number when ordering

LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT
Model N1—31 in.	35 to 39 oz.	Model N5—34 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model N9—34½ in.	40 to 45 oz.
Model N2—33 in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model N6—35 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model N10—34 in.	38 to 42 oz.
Model N3—33 in.	39 to 44 oz.	Model N7—34 in.	39 to 43 oz.	Model N11—35 in.	45 to 50 oz.
Model N4—33 in.	36 to 40 oz.	Model N8—34½ in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model N12—35 in.	40 to 45 oz.

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LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT
Model T1. 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	36 to 41 oz.	Model T5. 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	44 to 48 oz.	Model T9. 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	45 to 50 oz.
Model T2. 34 in.	39 to 43 oz.	Model T6. 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	41 to 45 oz.	Model T10. 36 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	43 to 47 oz.
Model T3. 35 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model T7. 34 in.	43 to 47 oz.	Model T11. 34 in.	37 to 41 oz.
Model T4. 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	38 to 42 oz.	Model T8. 33 in.	45 to 50 oz.	Model T12. 35 in.	40 to 45 oz.

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Furnished in any of the following twelve models—Mention model number when ordering

LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT	LENGTH	WEIGHT
Model M1. 31 in.	35 to 39 oz.	Model M5. 34 in.	40 to 44 oz.	Model M9. 35 in.	40 to 45 oz.
Model M2. 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	40 to 45 oz.	Model M6. 33 in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model M10. 33 in.	37 to 43 oz.
Model M3. 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	38 to 42 oz.	Model M7. 33 in.	37 to 43 oz.	Model M11. 35 in.	42 to 46 oz.
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Model B2.* 32 in.	38 to 43 oz.	Model B4. 33 in.	39 to 46 oz.	Model B6. 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	37 to 41 oz.

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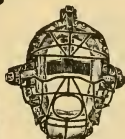
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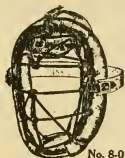


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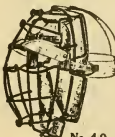
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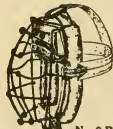
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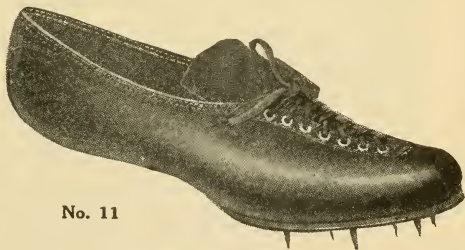
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A Standard Quality must be inseparably linked to a Standard Policy.

Without a definite and Standard Mercantile Policy, it is impossible for a Manufacturer to long maintain a Standard Quality.

To market his goods through the jobber, a manufacturer must provide a profit for the jobber as well as for the retail dealer. To meet these conditions of Dual Profits, the manufacturer is obliged to set a proportionately high list price on his goods to the consumer.

To enable the glib salesman, when booking his orders, to figure out attractive profits to both the jobber and retailer, these high list prices are absolutely essential; but their real purpose will have been served when the manufacturer has secured his order from the jobber, and the jobber has secured his order from the retailer.

However, these deceptive high list prices are not fair to the consumer, who does not, and, in reality, is not ever expected to pay these fancy list prices.

When the season opens for the sale of such goods, with their misleading but alluring high list prices, the retailer begins to realize his responsibilities, and grapples with the situation as best he can, by offering "special discounts," which vary with local trade conditions.

Under this system of merchandising, the profits to both the manufacturer and the jobber are assured; but as there is no stability maintained in the prices to the consumer, the keen competition amongst the local dealers invariably leads to a demoralized cutting of prices by which the profits of the retailer are practically eliminated.

This demoralization always reacts on the manufacturer. The jobber insists on lower, and still lower, prices. The manufacturer, in his turn, meets this demand for the lowering of prices by the only way open to him, viz.: the cheapening and degrading of the quality of his product.

The foregoing conditions became so intolerable that 15 years ago, in 1899, A. G. Spalding & Bros. determined to rectify this demoralization in the Athletic Goods Trade, and inaugurated what has since become known as "The Spalding Policy."

The "Spalding Policy" eliminates the jobber entirely, so far as Spalding Goods are concerned, and the retail dealer secures the supply of Spalding Athletic Goods direct from the manufacturer by which the retail dealer is assured a fair, legitimate and certain profit on all Spalding Athletic Goods, and the consumer is assured a Standard Quality and is protected from imposition.

The "Spalding Policy" is decidedly for the interest and protection of the users of Athletic Goods, and acts in two ways:

*First.*—The user is assured of genuine Official Standard Athletic Goods.

*Second.*—As manufacturers, we can proceed with confidence in purchasing at the proper time, the very best raw materials required in the manufacture of our various goods, well ahead of their respective seasons, and this enables us to provide the necessary quantity and absolutely maintain the Spalding Standard of Quality.

All retail dealers handling Spalding Athletic Goods are requested to supply consumers at our regular printed catalogue prices—neither more nor less—the same prices that similar goods are sold for in our New York, Chicago and other stores.

All Spalding dealers, as well as users of Spalding Athletic Goods, are treated exactly alike, and no special rebates or discriminations are allowed to anyone.

This briefly, is the "Spalding Policy," which has already been in successful operation for the past 15 years, and will be indefinitely continued.

In other words, "The Spalding Policy" is a "square deal" for everybody.

A. G. SPALDING & BROS.

By *A. G. Spalding*  
PRESIDENT.



# Standard Quality

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An article that is universally given the appellation "Standard" is thereby conceded to be the criterion, to which are compared all other things of a similar nature. For instance, the Gold Dollar of the United States is the Standard unit of currency, because it must legally contain a specific proportion of pure gold, and the fact of its being Genuine is guaranteed by the Government Stamp thereon. As a protection to the users of this currency against counterfeiting and other tricks, considerable money is expended in maintaining a Secret Service Bureau of Experts. Under the law, citizen manufacturers must depend to a great extent upon Trade-Marks and similar devices to protect themselves against counterfeit products—without the aid of "Government Detectives" or "Public Opinion" to assist them.

Consequently the "Consumer's Protection" against misrepresentation and "inferior quality" rests entirely upon the integrity and responsibility of the "Manufacturer."

A. G. Spalding & Bros. have, by their rigorous attention to "Quality," for thirty-eight years, caused their Trade-Mark to become known throughout the world as a Guarantee of Quality as dependable in their field as the U. S. Currency is in its field.

The necessity of upholding the Guarantee of the Spalding Trade-Mark and maintaining the Standard Quality of their Athletic Goods, is, therefore, as obvious as is the necessity of the Government in maintaining a Standard Currency.

Thus each consumer is not only insuring himself but also protecting other consumers when he assists a Reliable Manufacturer in upholding his Trade-Mark and all that it stands for. Therefore, we urge all users of our Athletic Goods to assist us in maintaining the Spalding Standard of Excellence, by insisting that our Trade-Mark be plainly stamped on all athletic goods which they buy, because without this precaution our best efforts towards maintaining Standard Quality and preventing fraudulent substitution will be ineffectual.

Manufacturers of Standard Articles invariably suffer the reputation of being high-priced, and this sentiment is fostered and emphasized by makers of "inferior goods," with whom low prices are the main consideration.

A manufacturer of recognized Standard Goods, with a reputation to uphold and a guarantee to protect must necessarily have higher prices than a manufacturer of cheap goods, whose idea of and basis of a claim for Standard Quality depends principally upon the eloquence of the salesman.

We know from experience that there is no quicksand more unstable than poverty in quality—and we avoid this quicksand by Standard Quality.

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